WEATHER
Partly cloudy in west, probable showers in east portion Wednesday; Thursday fair.

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GERMAN LINES STILL FURTHER PENETRATED ALONG SOMME FRONT

Allied Wedges Driven Further Into Enemy Ranks, Both North and South of River.

TOWN OF CHILLY OCCUPIED

Russians Claim Successes Near Vladimir-Volynski and in the Carpathian Mountains.

RUMANIAN TOWN IS TAKEN

Germans and Bulgarians Capture Tutrakan Bridge-Head.

Gradually the lines of the Entente Allies are drawing more closely about Combles and toward Peronne, and farther and farther their wedges are being driven into the German lines both north and south of the river Somme. On a front of about 25 miles the French and British troops, supported powerfully by their enormous artillery arm, are steadily hammering the German positions and sustaining, unflinchingly, heavy counter attacks.

Several Woods Occupied.

North of the Somme to the east and southeast of Forest, the French have driven forward their lines compelling the outskirts of the Anderlu wood, Hospital farm and the Rainnette wood and part of Marrieres wood and a position on the road leading from Bouchavesnes to Clery.

Near Ginchy, to the north of Guillemont, the British have made further progress, winning all the territory between the Falfemont farm and Leuze wood and between that wood and the outskirts of the town of Ginchy which they have captured and have held since the fighting of Sunday.

Capture Town of Chilly.

South of the Somme the French have taken the town of Chilly, situated one mile west of the railroad leading from Chaulnes to Roye, a line of trenches east of Soyecourt and numerous isolated positions between Vermandoilliers and Chilly. Since Sunday the French alone have taken on the Somme front 6,500 prisoners and 36 guns, 28 of them being of heavy calibre.

On the eastern front violent fighting continues from the Pripet marsh region, in Volhynia, through Galicia and up in the Carpathian passes, with the Russians reporting successes near Vladimir-Volynski, and a continuance of their advance toward the plains of Hungary through the Carpathians. Berlin reports that in Galicia, in the region of Brzezany, and near Fundul Moldowi, in the Carpathian region, heavy Russian attacks were repulsed in the latter district with heavy casualties.

Rumanian Town Taken.

In eastern Rumania, the Germans and Bulgarians have captured the fortified bridgehead of the Tutrakan and the Bulgarians the town of Dohric, while Petrograd reports the cutting down of a Bulgarian outpost by Russian cavalry in its first engagement with the invaders on Rumanian soil.

Near Ognott, in Turkish Armenia, violent fighting between Turks and Russians is taking place. Both Petrograd and Constantinople report successes here for their respective armies.

Italians Gain Positions.

The Italians hvae taken several additional positions from the Austrians in the Upper Bovi region of the Austro-Italian theatre and repulsed violent Austrian counter attacks. Aside from military activity there has been no fighting in the Macedonian theatre.

Greece has not yet officially announced her intentions with regard to her future stand in the war, but unofficial reports say that five classes of Greek reservists have been called to the colors. The advices say also that the Greek authorities have taken from the British and French secret police the task of arresting Austro-German agents, who will be apprehended by the Greeks and deported.

RUMANIANS HAVE OCCUPIED TWO TOWNS IN TRANSYLVANIA

London, Sept. 6.—The Rumanians have captured Orsova and Herkulesfuerdoe in Transylvania, according to Vienna advices to the exchange telegraph company.

Orsova is on the Danube, a short distance north of the Iron Gate, where the Danube quits Hungarian territory and divides Rumania from northeastern Serbia. The town has considerable commercial importance as a lower Danube port. In 1900 it had a population of about 5,000.

Hedkulesfuerdoe lies 11 miles to the north of Orsova.

VENICE, GORIZIA AND OTHER TOWNS RAIDED FROM THE AIR

Rome, Sept. 5 (via London).—An Austrian naval aeroplane squadron dropped bombs on Venice Monday night without doing any damage, says an official statement issued here today. On Sunday and Monday nights Austrian aircraft dropped bombs on Gorizia and three other towns in that vicinity. Three persons were killed in Gorizia and the roof of the church of St. John was damaged. The statement says:

"During Sunday evening hostile air-

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MORE GAINS ARE MADE BY FRENCH

Ommiecourt Village, Hospital Farm, Rainnette Wood and a Part of Marriere Wood Taken.

BATTLE LASTED ALL DAY

German Prisoners Captured by the French Since September 3rd Number 6,559, While Thirty-Six Cannon Were Taken.

Paris, September 5.—The French troops have captured the village of Ommiecourt, Hospital farm, Rainnette wood and part of Marriere wood and progressed in other regions north of the Somme, according to the official communication issued by the war office tonight.

South of the Somme a furious battle raged throughout the day. The French captured a line of German trenches and repulsed all counter attacks. The prisoners captured since September 3 number 6,550 and the cannon 36. The text reads:

"On the Somme front, despite the bad weather, our troops continued to progress and during the day obtained important advantages. North of the river after a series of brilliant actions, in which our troops gav eproof of irresistable spirit, we pushed our line into the district east of the forest. We reached th ewest outskirts of Auderiu wood, took by storm Hospital farm, and Rainnette wood, captured part of Marrieres wood and occupied to th enortheast of Clery the extremity of a hill traversed by the road from Bouchavesnes to Clery.

"We also strengthened our positions north of the rived, connecting them with the southern bank and taking the village of Ommiecourt, which is entirely in our hands.

"The war material taken since September 3 in the north sector includes 32 guns, of which 24 are heavy guns, two bomb-throwers, two trench guns, an important stock of 150 millimetre shells, one captive balloon and a large number of machine guns. We have not yet counted the prisoners captured on Tuesday.

"South of the Somme proceeded the whole day with extreme violence. The enemy multiplies his counter attacks, launched in mass against a great number of points along our new front, notably southwest of Barleux and southeast of Belloy. Notwithstanding the repeated efforts of the enemy we maintained our lines and inflicted sanguinary losses on him.

"Between Vermandovillers and Chilly we carried a salient and numerous isolated positions held by the Germans.

"East of Soyecourt an attack by our troops gave us a line of German trenches and enabled us to reach the outskirts northwest and south of Deniecourt farm.

"The total number of prisoners taken since yesterday south of the Somme has reached 4,047 including 55 officers. In the same southern sector four heavy guns an da hundred machine guns fell into our hands.

"The ttoal number of prisoners since Sunday on the French front of the Somme, north and south, is 6,550, and the number of guns 16, including 28 heavy guns.

"There was an intermittent cannonade on various parts of the front which was rather violent east of the Meuse (Verdun sector) in the sectors of Fleury and Chenois."

DR. GRAYSON'S INDIAN "PAL" IS VICTIM OF A CRAP GAME.

Failed to Show Up at Station to Meet President's Special.

Culpepper, Va., Sept. 5.—Cooney, Dr. Cary Grayson's half-breed Indian boyhood hunting companion, was not in his accustomed place on the station platform today when the special train carrying President Wilson from Hodgenville, Ky., to Washington, pulled into Culpepper. The President and his physician came out and were looking anxiously for the gaunt figure when some one in the waiting crowd handed up this note addressed to Dr. Grayson:

"Your friend Cooney was caught in a crap game last night and is locked up. He regrets he cannot see you but hopes you will give his regard to the President."

Senator John Sharp Williams, a member of the President's party, suggested that when Washington was reached a telegram be sent to the governor of Virginia, urging a pardon.

BIDS ARE OPENED FOR 30 GOVERNMENT HYDRO-AEROPLANES

Contracts Will Not be Awarded, However, for a Week or More.

Washington, September 5. — Bids were opened by the Navy Department today for thirty hydro-aeroplanes for the aviation school at Pensacola, Fla. Officials say they will be unable to award the contracts for a week or more.

As an encouragement to all concerns manufacturing flying machines, the department may divide the awards among all those whose bids are acceptable under the law.

The Curtiss company was the lowest of 16 firms which submitted bids. It quoted on complete machines with motors, $9,000 each, in lots of three; $8,750 in lots of six; $8,500, in lots of nine, and $8,250 in lots of twelve.

PLANS TO ATTACK PERSHING'S FORCE?

Villa is Reported Making His Way Towards the American Expedition in Mexico.

MAY ATTACK WEAK POINT

Possibility of Such an Attack Is Considered at Funston's Headquarters. Villa's Force in San Clara Canyon.

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 5.—The possibility that Francisco Villa is making his way to the northeast with the intention of attacking General Pershing's expeditionary force was considered at General Funston's headquarters tonight.

General Funston said he had received a telegram from General Bell, at El Paso, containing the gist of a report from General Gonzales, in Juarez, in which the latter confirmed the definite location of Villa's force in the San Clara Canyon. General Gonzales said he had dispatched troops to engage Villa, but General Bell did not say from what point they are proceeding.

General Funston said he regarded it as not at all improbable that Villa was planning to engage the Americans probably at some point where they are not great in strength. The Santa Clara canyon is far south of the southernmost American detachment.

The Mexican consulate here has received from Mexico City a dispatch which says that on Colonel Maximano Fernesi, a legalista leader captured in the Laguna district, and executed, was found a document dated August 26, 1916, signed by Francisco Villa as "General-in-Chief," in which Villa appointed Fernesi commander "of all the chiefs who operate in the Laguna district."

WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION WILL BEGIN SESSIONS TODAY

Leaders, in Executive Conference, Plan Final Details.

Atlantic City, N. J., September 5. — Leaders of the National American Woman Suffrage Association met in executive conferences tonight and planned the final details for their national convention, which opens heer tomorrow.

Questions of continuing both the Federal and State campaigns or concentrating either on State or Federal campaigns will be decided in a triangular debate tomorrow afternoon.

The convention, it is declared, will remain non-partisan, although President Wilson will address the meeting Friday night, and Charles E. Hughes is sending Herbert Parsons to express his sentiment on the same subject.

Tonight 300 delegates have registered, and many more are expected tomorrow. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt appears assured of re-election as president.

GOES TO DRILL GROUNDS.

Atlantic Fleet Leaves Hampton Roads to Resume Target Practice.

Newport News, Va., Sept. 5.—The Atlantic fleet, which spent the week-end in Hampton Roads, left this morning at 10 o'clock for the Southern Drill Grounds, off the Virginia Capes, to resume target practice. The fleet will return to Hampton Roads Friday to spend the next week-end here. There were about 40 dreadnaughts, cruisers, destroyers, supply ships, colliers, etc., in the line that steamed out today.

The fleet was brought into the Roads last week to take on full bunker cargoes of coal in anticipation of the then threatened railroad strike which would have crippled the navy's coal supply. The work of coaling was rushed and had been virtually completed when the strike order was revoked.

LIEUT. WILLIAM L. ROBINSON AWARDED VICTORIA CROSS

Presented by King George for Bringing Down Zeppelin.

London, Sept. 5. — King George today awarded the Victoria Cross to Lieutenant William Leefe Robinson, of the Royal Flying Corps, for bringing down a Zeppelin while the airship was approaching London Saturday night.

The British press bureau in making the announcement, says the cross was awarded to Lieutenant Robinson for the most conspicuous bravery. Robinson, the statement adds, attacked the Zeppelin under circumstances of great difficulty and danger, and sent it crashing to the ground a flaming wreck. Robinson had been in the air for more than two hours, and previously attacked another airship.

JOHN M. PARKER MAY GO ON A SPEAKING TOUR

Speeches Will be Devoted Solely to Interest of Progressives.

New Orleans, September 5. — John M. Parker, Progressive nominee for the vice-presidency, announced today that he probably will make a speaking tour, principally of the Eastern States. "The speeches I shall make," Mr. Parker said, "will be entirely in the interests of the Progressive party. I will not advocate the candidacy of either the Republican or Democratic nominees for the Presidency."

EDWARD LYNDON DROWNED

Was One of the Builders of the Hydroplane, Baby Maold.

Detroit, Mich, Sept. 5.—Edward Lyndon, of Marine City, Mich., one of the builders of the Baby Maold, which burned afted making a new world record in the hydroplane speed boat races Labor Day, was drowned this afternoon after a gas explosion at the wreck of the boat.

PRESIDENT PREPARING FOR SUMMER VACATION

Will be Established at Shadow Lawn by Last of Week.

Returns to Washington and Begins Work Preparatory to Adjournment of Congress—Speaks at Atlantic City Friday.

Washington, September 5.—President Wilson returned to Washington today from Hodgenville, Ky., and immediately began work incident to the adjurnment of Congress. Friday he goes to Atlantic City to address the National American Woman Suffrage Association.

After his Atlantic City address the President plans to establish himself at his summer home, Shadow Lawn, at Long Branch, N. J., and remain there during practically all of the Presidential campign. The executive offices will be moved to Asbury Park, N. J., Friday.

While at Long Branch, the President will continue to attend to official business, but will devote much of his time to campaign work. The address at Atlantic City will be delivered Friday night and after that he has no speaking engagements before September 26, when he will go to St. Louis.

On his return trip from Hodgenville the President urged Chairman Newlands, of the joint congressional subcommittee on railroads, a member of his party, to begin as soon as possible an investigation of questions growing out of the recently threatened railroad strike.

DANISH TREATY WILL BE CALLED UP IN SENATE TODAY

Foreign Relations Committee Has Recommended Ratification.

Washington, Sept. 5.—A report from the Foreign Relations committee recommending ratification of the treaty with Denmark for purchase of the Danish West Indies for $25,000,000 was submitted to the Senate late today in executive session. Senator Stone, chairman of the committee, announced that he would call the treaty up some time tomorrow and move its ratification.

Probability of the treaty being ratified at this session of Congress, however, is regarded as remote. Senator Stone said no effort would be made to delay adjournment if any opposition developed. Senator Borah, for one, is opposed to the purchase and any opposition to immediate ratification will serve to send the treaty over until the next session.

EFFORTS FOR RELIEF OF STARVING SERBS FUTILE

American Minister Says Aid Can Not be Given by Red Cross Now.

Washington, September 5. — American Minister Vopicka, accredited to Rumania, Serbia and Bulgaria, advised the State Department today that American Red Cross efforts for relief of starving Serbians would be futile at this time. His Message gave no particulars, as to what makes relief measures impossible, but officials here believe the entrance of Rumania into the war is the primary cause.

The Red Cross had planned to secure foodstuffs for the famine victims in Serbia from Rumania, and it is now believed that Rumania, having entered the hostilities, it will be impossible to obtain there wheat, corn or other supplies which are being conserved for Rumania's military and civil purposes.

BUT LITTLE SICKNESS

Unusually Satisfactory Condition Among Troops on Border.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Statistical reports from medical officers on the border received by the War Department today, showed the percentage of sick of both regular and national guardsmen was less than 2 1-2 a hundred last week. In that time six deaths occurred, five among the guards and one among the regulars. The rate of guard sick was slightly less than the previous week, while that of the regulars showed a small increase. Army medical officers regarded the condition as unusually satisfactory for this season of the year.

ONE OF CREW SEIZED BY BRITISH WARSHIP

American Schooner Held Up in South Atlantic July 21st.

H. Herclesen, a German Member of the Crew of the Marcus L. Urann, Taken From the Vessel—Papers Examined.

Pensacola, Fla., Sept. 5.—The American schooner Marcus L. Urann, which arrived here today from Pernambuco, was held up in the South Atlantic July 21 by a British cruiser and a member of her crew seized, according to Captain Richardson. The schooner was bound from Norfolk to Pernambuco.

Captain Richardson reported the stopping of his vessel to government officials here. He said in his report that British naval officers came aboard his ship, examined his papers and the crew list and seized H. Herclesen, a crew member, who had shipped as a German citizen.

Captain Richardson said the officers refused to give the name of the cruiser.

JOINT COMMISSION WILL MEET TODAY

Luis Cabrera, of Mexico, and Secretary Lane Will Alternate as Presiding Officers.

MEET AT NEW LONDON, CT.

In Accordance With Carranza's Desire, Question of Border Military Conditions Will Be First Discussed. Agreement Must Be Ratified.

New London, Conn., Sept. 5.—Members of the Mexican joint commission arrived here late today from New York aboard the Presidential yacht Mayflower. Luis Cabrera, Mexican minister of finance and head of the commission named by General Carranza, will preside at the first meeting tomorrow morning. Secretary Lane, heading the American commission, will conduct the following session and the two will alternate as presiding officers thereafter.

In accordance with General Carranza's preferences, the question of border military condtions will be first discussed. It seems likely that the withdrawal of General Pershing's troops from Mexico, the main object which the Mexican commissioners have been instructed to press, and the terms of the protocol to cover future campaigns against bandits will be coupled together.

If an agreement is reached by the commissioners it must be ratified, both in Washington and Mexico City.

CONDEMNS "LEGISLATION IN ADVANCE OF INVESTIGATION"

Hughes Addresses Two Large Audiences at Lexington, Ky.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 5.—Charles E. Hughes, addressing an audience that filled the auditorium here today condemned "legislation in advance of investigation" and declared that the United States "has gone very far toward the day when we shall have action under pressure, instead of in consideration of the facts."

Mr. Hughes' declaration was loudly applauded. The nominee did not refer by name to the Adamson law, but his remarks were interpreted by many in the audience as applying to it.

"We have a new spirit abroad in these recent days in America," Mr. Hughes said. "It is the spirit that demands legislation in advance of investigation. It is the spirit that demands executive action and congressional action in advance of an examination of the facts upon which said action should be based.

"It is the spirit that says legislate now and investigate afterwards. It is the spirit of force. It is not American."

Thousands of persons who sought entrance to the auditorium were turned away. Those Mr. Hughes addressed at an overlow meeting in the park outside.

Mr. Hughes left here for Cincinnati at 6:30.

SAYS 300 BARRELS OF FUEL OIL ON DECK CAUSED WRECK

Third Engineer of Fated Steamer Admiral Clark Files Statement.

New Orleans, Sept. 5.—Wilfred Robinson, who was third engineer of the steamer Admiral Clark, wrecked in the Caribbean sea during the August hurricane with the loss of Captain James Daniels and 19 of the crew, filed a statement today with the United States inspector of steam vessels charging the loading of 300 barrels of fuel oil on the steamer's deck, caused the wreck.

The local marine engineers' association is preparing a request to Congress for a Federal law prohibiting deck-loading based on Robinson's charges.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK

Steamship Kelvina Was Bound From Avonmouth to Newport News.

Newport News ,Va., Sept. 5.—Cable advices received here today from London stated that the British steamer Kelvina, from Avonmouth to this port, had been sunk. There were no casualties. The cable did not state the manner in which the steamer met her end but it is assumed here that she was attacked by a submarine.

The Kelvina was commanded by Captain Merkle. The cable mentioned no dates. She left here August 17 with a cargo composed of mules and general merchandise. Twenty-two American mulleers, most of them negroes, were signed on at this port.

START MANDAMUS SUIT.

Louisiana Republican Electors Seek to Have Names Placed on Ticket.

Baton Rouge, La., Sept. 5.—Electors chosen by the recent Republican State convention today filed a mandamus suit against Secretary of State Bailey in which they seek to compel that official to place their names on the ballot in Louisiana for the election next November.

Secretary of State Bailey last Friday announced that the names would not be placed on the ballot unless a petition for that purpose containing the names of 1,000 voters was filed at his office. Under the state law, according to Mr. Bailey's announcement, the Republican organization is not a party in Louisiana.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Senator Newlands, chairman of the committee recently created to study railroad legislative problems, tonight called a meeting of the committee for tomrrow to act on a plan of procedure during the congressional recess. He said the principal question to be decided was whether to begin work at once or to defer it until after the national elections.

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ALSO DEMANDED TO MAKE CONCESSIONS

China's Political Integrity In Inner Mongolia and Manchuria Threatened By Japan

ANXIETY AMONG OFFICIALS.

American Interests Seem to be Deeply Involved—State Department to Begin at Once to Gain Full Details.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Sweeping demands, far more drastic than any published summaries have indicated, are revealed in the secret terms being pressed on China by Japan as a result of the recent armed conflict between soldiers of the two nations at Cheng-Chiatun in Inner Mongolia. Private dispatches received here today reveal that Japan seeks indemnities, an apology, and political concessions throughout the whole section of Inner Mongolia and South Manchuria.

The four formal demands are quoted as follows:

1. Punishment of the commanding Chinese officer involved in the trouble.
2. Dismissal, with punishment of the other officers involved.
3. Instructions to Chinese troops in Inner Mongolia and South Manchuria not to interfere in any way with Japanese troops or civilians and to publish this fact broadly.
4. Recognition of "special interests" for Japan in Inner Mongolia and South Manchuria, comprising powers of police and administration, preference in loans and in the selection of all foreign advisers, etc.

Besides the four "demands" are four "concessions" which China is asked to grant Japan without formal demand, as follows:

1. The Chinese army in South Manchuria and Eastern Mongolia to employ Japanese military advisers.
2. Chinese schools and colleges to have Japanese military inspectors. This is not limited to any section in dispatches so far received.
3. A formal apology in person from the Chinese governor at Dairen and the Japanese consul at Mukden for the Cheng Shitatun trouble.
4. Monetary compensation to the families of the Japanese killed, the amount to be settled by later negotiation.

Secretary Lansing refused tonight to comment on the dispatches or to outline what might be the attitude of the American government. It is known, however, that steps will be taken immediately by the State Department to secure detailed reports and learn the full significance of Japan's act. American interests seem at first glance to be more deeply involved than in any event in the Far East since Japan's famous ultimatum to China of May, 1915.

It is the political articles which cause the deepest anxiety to Washington officials. They were omitted entirely in the published demands. The recognition of "special rights" is open to the most extreme interpretation and it is feared might cut directly across the American policy of the integrity of China. Also, it has in it possibilities of violation of the open door policy, and the making of the whole vast region involved a mere dependency of Japan.

Article 3 of the "demands" places Japanese soldiers and troops in this Chinese territory entirely above the control of Chinese soldiers, eventually annulling China's sovereignty there. Japanese have already won the right to their own courts and in many places their own police.

The employment of the Japanese military advisers for Chinese forces in that vicinity is thought to be a first move to secure Japanese control of China's armed forces there.

Well informed Chinese sources see nothing for China but submission, believing any delay is apt to mean the occupation of the territory by Japanese armed forces. China is in no condition to offer serious resistance.

No foreign country, save possibly the United States, is expected to offer objection to Japan's course, because of conditions abroad and some diplomats believe Japan has seized this time to put in force her "Monroe Doctrine" for China.

China's new administration under President Li Yuan Hung is reported to be consolidating itself successfully after the confusion caused by Yuan Shi Kai's death. The Japanese threat is given much of the credit for this. Finance presents the most insuperable difficulty at present. Europe cannot lend money and American bankers have not been satisfied with the terms and the lack of government support. The proposed $30,000,000 Japanese loan almost completed was thought by the Japanese embassy here today to have been held up indefinitely because of the strained relations.

The seriousness of the condition was heightened today with reports of another conflict between Chinese and Japanese troops at Chaoyang Po, private advices from Peking claim that the Japanese troops attacked the Chinese garrison there when the latter were pursuing bandits. The Japanese contention is that the Japanese troops were seeking to mediate between the Chinese troops and Mongolian brigands when the Chinese attacked.

Measure is Last of President's Programme, and Will Raise $205,000,000 Annually.

INCREASES INCOME TAX

Gives President Authority to Take Retaliatory Steps Against the Trade of the Allies.

RAISES TARIFF ON DYES

Bill, as Amended, Must be Approved by Conference.

Washington, September 5. — The administration revenue bill, designed to raise $205,000,000 annually from taxes on inheritances and war munitions, and from increases in the income tax, creating a tariff commission, establishing a protective tariff on dyestuffs, providing for protection of American firms from "dumping," at the end of the war, and giving the President authority to take drastic retaliatory steps against allied interference with American trade, was passed late tonight by the Senate. The vote was 42 to 16.

Sent Immediately to Conference.

Eliminating the usual formalities in order to insure adjournment of Congress by Thursday at the latest the Senate rushed the measure, the last on the administration legislative programme, immediately to conference.

Five Republican Senators, Cummins, Kenyon, LaFollette, Norris, and Clapp voted for the bill. The Senate conferees appointed were Simmons, Williams, Hoke Smith, Hughes, Penrose, Smoot and McCumber. The House will appoint conferees tomorrow.

In Session After Midnight.

The Senate was in session until after midnight. It practically had completed the bill earlier but toward midnight Senator Underwood moved to strike out the section which would create a tariff commission and began a last fight against this provision which already had been agreed to.

By a vote of 55 to 5, the Senate rejected Senator Underwood's motion, thus retaining the tariff commission section of the bill. Senators who voted to eliminate it were Bankhead, Hardwick, Shield, Underwood and Vardaman.

A motion by Senator Penrose to send the bill back to the Finance committee with instructions that it report a measure to raise revenue by a protective tariff and with special provisions for industrial defense was rejected by a vote of 39 to 21. Senator LaFollette was the only Republican to vote no.

Increases Income Taxes.

To increase government revenues the bill provides for doubling the normal tax and increasing the surtaxes on incomes; an inheritance tax; a net profit tax on manufacturers of munitions of war; a license tax on stock of corporations capitalized at more than $99,000; excise taxes on beer, wines and liquors and miscellaneous stamp taxes. The bill also creates a United States tariff commission of six members whose salaries shall be $7,500 a year despite an effort made to increase them to $10,000; provides for increased tariff duties on dyestuffs to encourage their manufacture in this country and makes provision to safeguard against dumping of foreign-made goods after the European war into American markets.

Drastic Retaliatory Measures.

Drastic amendments to the bill striking at the Allied blacklisting of American merchants, discrimination against American commerce, interference with American mails and embargoes on American trade were incorporated in the bill to arm the President with retaliatory weapons. These amendments have created consternation among diplomatic representatives of the Allied powers in Washington who assert that if finally enacted as now seems certain they would constitute a non-intercourse act.

Webb Bill Held Up.

Passage of the bill and adjournment of Congress were threatened for a time tonight by an attempt to attach to the measure the Webb bill desired by the President, permitting American firms to establish collective selling agencies abroad. When Senator Lewis, of Illinois, submitted the bill as an amendment he was promptly assured by Senator LaFollette that it would provoke prolonged discussion, if pressed. Senator Lewis thereupon withdrew the amendment, announcing that it would be pressed as a separate measure, having already passed the House early in the December session.

Late tonight a vain effort was made by Senator Husting, of Wisconsin, to amend the bill by providing for publicity in the discretion of the President of the income tax returns of individuals.

The amendment was defeated 32 to 26. An amendment by Senator Phelan to extend the time from 90 days to six months for the payment of the tax on 55 cents a gallon on brandies used in fortifying wines was adopted.

Amendments designed to provide means of retaliation against Great

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GERMANY NOW PLACES EMBARGO ON TOBACCO

State Department's Efforts Are Further Complicated.

All Consignments to Gedmany From Abroad Prior to August 7th Affected—Message From Ambassador Gerard.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Efforts of the State Department in behalf of American tobacco growers and manufacturers whose products have suffered by European war embargoes, were further complicated tonight by receipt at the State Department of a message from American Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin, transmitting an official report of the German tobacco embargo. His message, dated August 28, follows:

"Until further notice, German government has prohibited the importation of tobacco and tobacco products, not including oriental and similar tobacco. For consignments shipped to Germany from abroad by mail or rail prior to August 7 and purchased by firms residing in Germany, exceptions may be made. In case of such oversea shipments, appropriate certificate from German consul and the place of shipment is required."

Spurred by protests from the American tobacco trade against the Entente Allies' tobacco embargo, the State Department already has moved to secure concessions for the American product and a Senate amendment to the Emergency Revenue bill is designed to retaliate against the Allies' embargo.

It is assumed that the German government considers tobacco a luxury for which its people should not spend their money. Much American tobacco is reported to have found its way to Germany during the war through Dutch and Scandinavian sources.

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Britain for embargoes on American goods, the trade blacklist and interference with the mails, were agreed to without roll calls and were unopposed in debate.

These amendments, all applying to conditions during existence of a war in which the United States is not engaged, would authorize the President to:

Deny by proclamation the use of United States mails and express, telegraph, wireless and cable facilities to citizens of any belligerent nation which does not accord to American vessels, citizens, companies or corporations full facilities of trade and commerce, including unhampered traffic in mails which the vessels or citizens, firms or corporations of that belligerent country enjoy in the United States or its possessions;

Withhold clearance to foreign or domestic vessels from American ports which give "any undue or unreasonable preference or advantage, in any respect whatsoever, to any particular person, company, corporation or any particular description of traffic in the United States or its possessions, or to the citizens of the United States residing in neutral countries abroad," or is subjecting any of them to "any undue or unreasonable prejudice, disadvantage, injury, or discrimination in regard to accepting, receiving, transporting or delivering or refusing to accept or receive, transport or deliver any cargo, freight or passengers";

Deny by proclamation the commercial privileges an dfacilities of the United States to any vessel or citizen of a belligerent nation which does not accord full facilities of commerce to American citizens that are accorded to citizens of other nationalities, or to withhold clearance to vessels of such belligerent nations until reciprocal liberty of commerce and equal facilities of trade have been restored;

Employ the land and naval forces of the United States to enforce the retaliatory measures; and to prohibit importation of goods into the United States from nations which prohibit the importation into their own or into any other country, dependency or colony of any article the product of the soil or industry of the United States and not injurious to health or morals.

Tariff Commission.

The bill creates a tariff commission, recommended by President Wilson, to consist of six members, not more than three of whom shall be of one political party, the first members to be appointed for terms of 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 years, respectively, to be designated by the President, their successors to be appointed for terms of 12 years, respectively, to be designated by the President, their successors to be appointed for terms of 12 years. The commission would investigate the administration and fiscal effects of the customs laws, relations between the rates of duty on raw materials and finished or partly finished products; effects of ad valorem and specific duties; all questions relating to the operation of the tariff laws; tariff relations between the United States and foreign countries, and would make reports to the Ways and Means committee of the House and Finance committee of the Senate.

Salaries of the commissioners were fixed at $7,500 a year after a hard fight led by Senator Cummins, of Iowa, to increase them to $10,000. His amendment for that purpose was defeated after an all-day debate by a non-partisan vote of 35 to 18.

Safeguard Against "Dumping."

A section of the bill is designed as a safeguard against the "dumping" of foreign goods into the United States at cheap prices after the war.

It would make it unlawful to import goods at a price substantially less than the actual market value or wholesale prices in the principal markets of the country of their production. Violations would be punishable by a fine not exceeding $5,000 or imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both. To this section is also added a provision giving the President authority to prohibit importations to this country from nations which prohibit importations from the United States.

Increase Tariff on Dyes.

In sections amending existing tariff laws, the bill provides for increased tariff rates on dyestuffs to be applied after the European war in order to encourage upbuilding of the industry in this country. The duty on intermediate dyes would be 15 per cent ad valorem, and a special duty of 2 1-2 cents a pound; on finished dyes 30 per cent ad valorem and a special duty of 5 cents a pound. Another amendment fixes the duty of print paper valued at above 5 cents per pound at 12 per cent ad valorem. Senator Martine offered an amendment which was defeated, to place all print paper on the free list.

The revenue bill as finally agreed upon provides for an increase from one to two per cent on the normal tax with an exemption of $4,000 for married and $3,000 for single persons, and for the following surtaxes:

One per cent on amount by which the net income exceeds $20,000 and does not exceed $40,000; 2 per cent, $40,000 to $60,000; 3 per cent, $60,000 to $80,000; 4 per cent, $80,000 to $100,000; 5 per cent, $100,000 to $150,000; 6 per cent, $150,000 to $200,000; 7 per cent, $200,000 to $250,000; 8 per cent, $250,000 to $300,000; 9 per cent, $300,000 to $500,000; 10 per cent, $500,000 to one million dollars; 11 per cent, one million to $1,500,000; 12 per cent to $1,500,000 to two million dollars, and 13 per cent on the amount by which the net income exceeds $2,000,000.

The corporation income tax is renewed, exempting labor, agricultural and horticultural organizations, mutual savings banks not having capital stock represented by shares, fraternal beneficiary societies, domestic building and loan associations, civic organizations, Federal land bank and National farm loan associations.

Inheritance Tax.

Inheritance tax—a tax on the transfer of the net estate of decedents dying after passage of the act—1 per cent of the amount of such net estates not in excess of $50,000; 2 per cent, $50,000 to $150,000; 3 per cent, $150,000 to $250,000; 4 per cent $250,000 to $450,000; 5 per cent, $450,000; to one million dollars; 6 per cent on one million to two million dollars; 7 per cent on two million to three million dollars; 8 per cent on three million to four million dollars; 9 per cent on four million to five million dollars, and 10 per cent on the amount by which such estate exceeds five million dollars.

Munitions Tax.

Munitions tax—10 per cent on the net profits of manufacturers of gun powder and other explosives, cartridges loaded or unloaded, except for industrial or sporting purposes; projectiles, shells, torpedoes, including shrapnel, loaded or unloaded, fuses or complete rounds of ammunition, fire arms of any kind and appendages, including small arms manufactured and used for military purposes; cannon, machine guns, rifles and bayonets, electric motor boats and submarine or submersible boats, these taxes to be in force until one year after the European war ends.

Liquor and Other Taxes.

Liquor taxes—Beer, $1.50 a barrel; still wines, 8 cents per gallon; champagne or sparkling wine, 3 cents on each half pint or fraction thereof; artificially carbonated wine 2 1-2 cents per half pint; liquors containing sweet wine 1 1-2 cents per half pint, and not containing sweet wine, 1 cent per half pint.

Stock tax—Fifty cents for each $1,000 or capital, surplus and undivided profits of corporations, joint stock companies and association with capital in excess of $99,000.

Special taxes—Pawn brokers, $50 a year; shop brokers, $20; custom house brokers, $10; theatres and amusement places having a seating capacity not exceeding 250, $25 a year; not exceeding 500, $50; not exceeding 800, $75; and exceeding 800 seating capacity, $100.

Bowling alleys and billiard tables—$5 each.

Tobacco manufacturers' tax—Those whose annual sales do not exceed 50,000 pounds, $3; not exceeding 100,000, $6; not exceeding 200,000 pounds, $12; exceeding 200,000 pounds, 8 cents per thousand; manufacturers of cigars whose annual sales do not exceed 50,000 cigars, $2; not exceeding 100,000 cigars, $3; not exceeding 200,000 cigars, $6; not exceeding 400,000 cigars, $12; exceeding 400,000 cigars, 5 cents per 1,000.

Stamp taxes—Bonds, debentures, or certificates of indebtedness, five cents on each $100 or face value; agreements of sale, two cents on each $100 of face value; certificates of stock, five cents on each $100 of value; sales or transfers, 2 cents per $100; merchandise agreements of sale, one cent for each $100 in value; conveyances, 50 cents for each $500; warehouse receipts, 25 cents for $100; 50 cents for $500 and $1.00 on receipts exceeding $500 in value; custom house receipts, 50 cents; foreign steamship tickets costing not to exceed $30, $1; not more than $60, $3, and more than $60, $5.

Parlor car and sleeping car tickets, one cent each.

SPEAKS IN JAPAN

Elbert H. Gary Entertained at Banquet By Prominent Japanese.

Tokio, Sept. 5.—Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation, was the guest of honor at a banquet here tonight that was attended by men high in political life and business. Mr. Gary declared that the relations between Japan and the United States were amiable and should remain so.

Mr. Gary referred to statements which he said were occasionally uttered or published in the United States and perhaps in Japan, with regard to the possibility of a serious conflict between the two countries at some time in the future. He declared emphatically that the business men in the United States did not anticipate any trouble between the United States and Japan.

The speaker said that the strongest economic reasons existed for no change in relationship of the two countries.

"Japan and America," concluded the speaker, "have the desire and the brain to work together while honorably and fairly pursuing separate lines of activity."

The address plainly impressed Mr. Gary's auditors who voiced their approval by frequent applause.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary are being made the recipients of unusual honors during thei rtour of the Empire.

GERMAN LINES STILL FURTHER PENETRATED ALONG SOMME FRONT

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craft dropped bombs on Mariano and yesterday evening on Lucinico, Sdraussina and Gorisia. Three dead and some wounded were reported in Gorisia. Ther roof of the church of St. John there was rdamaged seriously.

"A seaplane squadron during Monday night dropped 20 bombs on Venice without doing any damage."

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 5.—Early scattering returns from today's primary election in Wisconsin indicates that Governor E. L. Philipp, conservative Republican, has been nominated over three opponents, and that Robert M. LaFollette and Malcolm G. Jeffries are running a close race for the Republican nomination for United States senator.

BUSINESS MAN OF WILMINGTON SAYS TANLAC AIDED HIM

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Met at 10 a. m.

Resumed debate on revenue bill.

Danish West Indies purchase treaty favorably reported by Foreign Relations committee.

Session continued during evening to finish debate and vote on revenue bill.

HOUSE

Met at noon.

Series of campaign speeches delivered.

Adjourned at 2:52 p. m. until 10 a. m. Wednesday.

PROPOSAL OF THE AMERICAN LABOR FEDERATION REJECTED

Would be Impossible for Britons to Meet Teuton Workers.

Birmingham, Eng., Sept. 5.—The proposal made by the American Federation of Labor for a labor and peace congress to be held simultaneously at the conclusion of the war was rejected this evening by the traces unionist congress.

An acrimonious discussion was provoked by the talk of co-operation in th American Federation of Labor's plan to hold a labor and peace congress at the same time, owing to the fact that the American proposal includes the bringing together of workers from Germany and her allies. Most of the delegates in addressing the congress declared that it was impossible for Britons to meet workers of the Central Powers for a friendly discussion of the labor programme until the German democracy disavowed the "methods of terrorism employed by the German government in submarine and Zeppelin attacks on undefended ships and cities."

William J. Thorne and George Henry Roberts, members of parliament, seemed to express the general view that the workers of Germany were equally responsible with their rulers for the war. They argued that just before the war the German delegates at the Basel International Conference promised to oppose militray ventures on the part of their government but that when they returned to Germany they virtually unanimously voted for war credits and supported every action of the German war party.

Umpire Is Denied Entrance at Gate

HE LATER CRAWLS THROUGH HOLE IN FENCE, DECLARES GAME FORFEITED AND IS ARRESTED FOR TRESPASS.

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 5.—Umpire Buckley, of the Virginia League, had to crawl through a hole in the fence to gt on th egrounds today and when he called the game at 4 o'clock, a quarter of an hour early and then declared it forfeited to Newport News, he was charged with trespass and arrested. Later he was bailed for his appearance in police court tomorrow morning.

Buckley appeared at the entrance with Manager Payne, of Newport News, but was denied admittance. He found a hole in the fence through which he entered. He came down the field at exactly 4 o'clock with Manager Payne, called the game and then declared it forfeited to Newport News, 9 to 0.

There was a tremendous uproar from the rooters. Buckley seized his travelling bag from Manager Payne and made a dash for the gate. City Collector Nelms rushed after him and chancing to encounter a magistrate, swore out a trespass warrant against Buckley. This was given to an officer who served it immediately. Buckley was taken to the station house and after some delay found a bondsman in the sum of $100. He is to appear tomorrow morning.

Newport News and Portsmouth are contending for the pennant.

Officials of the local club contend that Buckley called play 15 minutes before the scheduled hour of the game and for that reason the Petersburg club refused to take the field. They also assert that their refusal to admit Buckley to the park was because he had been assigned to too many series here and that they wanted to force the league president to send some other arbitrator to this city.

RAID TRUCK PATCHES AND OTHER PLACES FOR FOOD

First Ambulance Corps, Ohio Militia, Start Mutiny Against Food.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 5.—Thirty-two members of the first ambulance corps, Ohio National Guard, were held in the city prison tonight under military charges of absence from Camp Willis without leave, as a result of a mutiny against food and a raid upon truck patches, soft drink parlors and private gardens in the vicinity of the camp.

Nineteen of the raiders escaped when a company of the Cleveland Greys surrounded them in a tomato field. Those captured were herded into a dusty basement at the state house until it was arranged to take them to the city prison.

The military authorities will conduct the settlement of the affair. The men charge thattheyhavereceivedrons ati charge that they have received rations of bread, molasses and coffe at times when the officers were entertaining women guests on sumptuous rations.

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JOHNSON SHUTS OUT THE YANKEES 2 TO 0

Washington Pitcher Shows Up in Excellent Form.

Boston Breaks Even With the Athletics in Double Header at Philadelphia—Myers Effective in the Last Game.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Philadelphia 5-1; Boston 2-7.
At Washington 2; New York 0.
No others scheduled.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
New York at Washington.
Boston at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detorit.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	74	55	.574
Detroit	74	57	.565
Chicago	72	58	.554
St. Louis	69	62	.526
New York	68	62	.523
Cleveland	68	63	.519
Washington	65	64	.508
Philadelphia	29	99	.227

Philadelphia, Sept. 5.—Boston broke even in a baseball battle here today, Philadelphia winning the first game 5 to 2 and the visitors the second 7 to 1. In the opening event Philadelphia bunted safely on Shore and Ruth six times. In the second game Myers, in two innings, filled the bases and by hitting a batsman, a single and an error following, scored three runs in each inning.

Boston	010 010 000	2	8 0
Philadelphia	101 100 20*	5	11 3

Shore, Ruth and Cady and Thomas; Johnson and Picinich.

Second game:

Boston	003 001 030	7	6 0
Philadelphia	000 100 000	1	8 3

Mays and Thomas; Myers and Picinich.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Walter Johnson today pitched about the best ball he has shown this year and Washington shut out New York 2 to 0. Johnson scored one of the Washington runs when he drove the ball to the bleachers in left field. Leonard was put out of the game by Umpire Evans for protesting a decision in the sixth.

New York	000 000 000	0	2 0
Washington	000 010 01*	2	7 2

Cullop and Walters; Johnson and Henry.

MINOR LEAGUES.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
At Newark 3; Richmond 1.
At Buffalo 4; Montreal 0.
At Toronto 7; Rochester 5.
At Providence 3; Baltimore 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
No games scheduled.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE
At Portsmouth 5-6; Norfolk 2-0.
At Petersburg, game forfeited to Newport News, 9 to 0, owing to management's refusal to permit league umpire to enter grounds.
No other game scheduled.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.
At Atlanta 3; New Orleans 1.
At Birmingham 5; Mobile 3.
At Little Rock 3; Memphis 2.
At Chattanooga 5; Nashville 1.

THE BATTING LEADERS.

Hal Chase has again assumed the lead among National League batters, his three hits in four times up today increasing his average five points and putting him ahead of Jake Daubert, who gained one point on two hits in five times at the bat. Robertson, the only other National League leader to play, lost a point on one hit in four attempts.

None of the American League players played. The standing:

American League.

Player:	A.B.	H.	P.C.
Speaker	459	174	.379
Cobb	454	167	.368
Jackson	501	174	.347

National League.

Chase	445	144	.324
Daubert	379	122	.323
Wagner	338	107	.316
Hornsby	416	131	.315
Robertson	359	140	.305

"STRANGLER" LEWIS COMING TO NEW BERN SEPTEMBER 13.

New Bern, N. C., Sept. 5—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, one of the most noted wrestlers in the United States, will come to New Bern on September 13th for a match with Max Smith, the local favorite, and the local mat devotees are looking forward to this event with much anticipation.

There is probably no city in the State where so much interest is manifested in the wrestling game as there is in New Bern and the big matches always dra wrecord breaking crowds. Mat fans all over North Carolina have heard of "Strangler" Lewis and indications are that a record breaking crowd will see him in action here.

SETS NEW WORLD RECORD IN HYDROPLANE RACING.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 5.—In one of the greatest performances ever seen in a hydroplane race Miss Minneapolis, of the Minneapolis Power Boat Association, this afternoon won the 90-mile gold cup race and incidentally established a new world's record of 55.8 miles an hour for five miles. She took the cup by finishing second to Miss Detroit in the final 30-mile heat today, which gave her 20 points against 18 for the local boat.

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 5.—Ed Penland, a school boy pitching for Beech school, struck out 24 opposing batsmen in a game with Hemphill school yesterday. He allowed only five scattered hits in the game.

Williams Winner Of Tennis Title

TEN THOUSAND SPECTATORS SEE HIM DEFEAT WILLIAM M. JOHNSTON, 1915 CHAMPION, AT FOREST HILLS.

Forest Hills, N. Y., Sept. 5.—For the second time in his short career on American courts R. Norris Williams, 2nd, of Philadelphia, won the National Turf Singles Championship at the Westside Club here this afternoon when he defeated William M. Johnston, of San Francisco, the 1915 champion, in a five-set match, 4-6, 8-4, 0-6, 6-4.

While the contest between the two champions of 1914 and 1915 had a nerveracking climax, the match considered as a whole, was hardly up to the tennis expected from these two masters of racket and court.

The gallery of close to 10,000 spectators who gathered to witness the final act of the 36th annual tournament of the National Association, looked for a wonderful and thrilling exhibition from the two survivors of the 128 entrants who started play here more than a week ago. In the main, however, they were disappointed, for while there were occasional brilliant rallies and flashing strokes, both Williams and Johnston in their endeavors to play carefully, unconsciously eliminated much of the dash and fire from their racket and foot work and were guilty of amateurish errors.

There was lacking the sensational fighting of the ball back and forth across the net which was so marked in the Murray-Church and other similar contests in the preliminary rounds.

A careful analysis of the play during the five sets shows that while Williams ran far ahead of Johnston in his ability to score both service and placement aces, he piled up many more errors than the San Franciscoan. There was but four points difference in the totals of the players at the end of the match any they were tied in the number of games won.

In the first set games went with service until the ninth game, when Johnston took the lead and ran out.

Conditions were almost reversed in the second and then Williams dropped the third at love by his inability to control his strokes, while Johnston, from a point of vantage at the net, was able to pick opening after opening for points.

The tide really turned in the fourth set when Williams awoke and started to play with the dash and vim which usually characterizes his game. Forehand and backhand, he was supreme, and he drove the ball first to one side and then to the other side of Johnston, forcing the latter to keep constantly on the run in order to return the sphere. For the first time in the contest the rallies were long and hard fought, but the easterner usually wound up by forcing a nopening for a shot with which Johnston could not connect.

At the opening of the fifth and final set the spectators settled back with the idea that Williams would sustain his game and quickly ran out the necessary points to win. They under-estimated Johnston's fighting spirit, however, and he set Williams a pace which he could not match for a time.

CAPT. METTS WINS

Handsome Flagler Trophy in Yacht Race at Beach.

Capt. Edward A. Metts won the handsome silver punch bowl offered by Mrs. H. M. Flagler to the successful contestant in the race staged by the owners of sail craft of the Carolina Yacht Club in Bank's Channel, at noon on Labor Day.

Capt. Metts finished considerably in the lead, while Messrs. Henry MacMillan and William Peck won second an dthird place, respectively.

PRINCETON AND CAROLINA SQUADS CLASH ON OCTOBER 7.

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 5.—Lake Minnewaska, N. Y., in the Schwangkunk mountains, has been chosen by the Princeton football management for the early practices of the eleven. The players will assemble their 11 and return to Princeton October 6 for their first game against North Carolina the next day.

Durham, N. C., Sept. 5.—Warren Butts, of Philadelphia, center fielder of the Durham club, of the North Carolina Baseball League, stole 88 bases during the season ending yesterday, establishing what is claimed to be a record for this league.

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BRAVES ARE FORCED TO THE THIRD PLACE

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Giants Are Defeated by Brooklyn Five to Two—Reds Take the Final Game of the Series at Chicago.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Boston 2-0; Philadelphia 4-0.
At New York 2; Brooklyn 5.
At Chicago 2; Cincinnati 3.
At Pittsburg-St. Louis, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	73	49	.599
Brooklyn	73	49	.599
Boston	71	49	.592
New York	58	61	.488
Pittsburg	58	67	.464
Chicago	59	71	.454
St. Louis	56	73	.434
Cincinnati	51	80	.389

Boston, Sept. 5.—The Boston Nationals dropped from first place to third and Philadelphia advanced from a second place tie to a coupling with Brooklyn in the lead of the National League race as a result of the champions 4 to 2 victory over Boston here today, and Brooklyn's victory over New York. A second game between Boston and Philadelphia went five innings to a scoreless tie, when it was called off because of darkness.

For five innings in the first game today Barnes held the Phillies to two hits, but in the sixth three hits, a sacrifice fly, a wild pitch and an error netted three runs. The Braves made two in the fifth on three singles.

Philadelphia	100 003 000	4	7 2
Boston	000 020 000	2	7 1

Alexander and Killifer; Barnes and Gowdy, Tragessor and Blackburn.

Second game:

Philadelphia	000 00	0	7 3
Boston	000 00	0	1 0

Demaree and Burns; Rudolph and Blackburn.

New York, Sept. 5.—Brooklyn went back to a tie for first place with Philadelphia by defeating New York here today 5 to 2. Brooklyn started a batting rally with two out in the seventh inning and five successive hits off Anderson scored four runs. Zimmerman made his first appearance at the Polo grounds in a New York uniform and made three hits.

Brooklyn	000 000 401	5	12 0
New York	100 100 000	2	10 1

Coombs and Miller; Anderson, Schupp and Rariden.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Knetzer held Chicago to fous scatteren hits today whilt Cincinnati bunched hits off Hendrix and won the final game of the series here 3 to 2. Doyle's home run wnich cleared the right field screen was the feature of the game.

Cincinnati	000 020 010	3	14 1
Chicago	100 010 000	2	4 0

Knetzer and Wingo; Hendrix and Archer.

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SOUTH HAS A CHANCE FOR AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Philadelphia, Sept. 5.—In Atlanta's two boy wonders, "Bob" Jones, Jr., and Perry Adair, rested the South's hope of capturing the national amateur golf championship at the end of the second day's play at the Merion Cricket Club today. While Nelson Whitney, the New Orleans star, was being put out by "Chick" Evans, the national open champion, young Jones was taking the measure of the veteran, E. M. Byers, of Allegheny, who was national amateur champion when his conqueror today was but four years old. The score was three up and one to play.

Adair won a close match form Larry B. Paton, of Homstead, one up. He laid the Boston golfer a dead stymie on the home green after Paton had played two sweet shots to the green and had putted his third to within a foot of the cup. This resulted in two fives.

Tomorrow Jones plays F. W. Dyer, of Montclair, and Adair is matched with D. C. Corkran, of Baltimore.

Whitney played great golf against Evans and forced the open champion to go to the 35th green for a three and one win. At the end of nine holes Evans was one down, while at the end of 18 holes he was one up. He played indifferent golf all day.

The metropolitan district had five contestants left among the 16 who won their way into the second round of match play. The West had two players, the South two; Baltimore two; Philadelphia two, and Pittsburg and Boston, one each.

The defeat of Byers by young Jones was regarded as a distinct upset. Surprise also was caused by the elimination of W. C. Fownes, Jr., the medalist and former title holder, at the hands of C. B. Buxton, of Huntington Valley. Fownes lost out on the home green.

Robert A. Gardner, national amateur champion, played the best golf since his arrival, getting a 74 in his morning round with J. M. Ward, of Garden City. Gardner won 6 and 5. His 74 is the best score of the tournament over the east course.

MAY CONSOLIDATE DISTRICT.

Meeting Held Last Night at Sharon School House, Lenoir County.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 5.—A meeting is being held at Sharon school house, Lenoir county, tonight, to determine if a consolidated school district shall be formed out of the Sharon, Bethel, Hugo, Barwick's, Dunn and Grainger rural school districts. It is proposed to erect a brick house at a cost of about $5,000, modernly equipped, with up-to-date heating and ventilation plants and a public transportation system. Prof. L. C. Brogden, of the State Department of Education, and the county education authorities are attending the meeting, at which several hundred patrons from all the districts are in attendance. It is believed the proposition will carry easily. The district would be the first of its kind in the county, although two or three State high schools afford some of the facilities that the new school would offer.

PRIVATE ROVE KILLED

Knocked Down by Train at Camp Glenn.—Native of Ahoskie.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Camp Glenn, Morehead City, N. C., Sept. 5.—Private J. P. Rove, of Company L, Second North Carolina Regiment, was accidentally killed here today by the camp train. He was walking down the railroad track when the train backed up on him. Rove was a native of Ahoskie, N. C.

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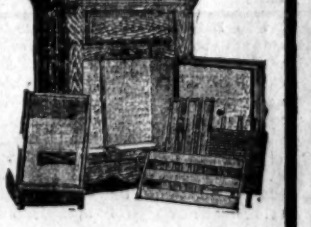

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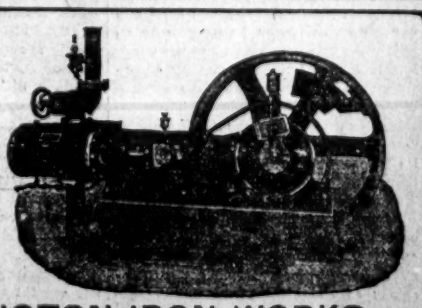
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TOP O' THE MORNING.

God cannot answer the prayers of a stingy man. —TORREY.

This world is but a fleeting show, but some men are willing to raise Cain in order to figure in the programme.

Josh Billings' idea was that a man who dopes out everything wrong ought to go into a secluded spot and kick himself in the head with a big stick.

A man with an elephant on his hands has to get the elephant off his hands before he can do anything to the elephant. Many a problem on our hands is about the size of an elephant.

After a woman marries, she makes the most of her mistake if he has within him the elements for the making of a man. Otherwise, she puts up with her mistake so long she can stand for him.

"The small things of life should not be allowed to annoy us," writes a philosopher. Of course, that is good philosophy, but we have found no way to avoid annoyance by a dadburned mosquito.

The times are too perilous to let Oyster Bay nominate and elect another President. Oyster Bay has acknowledged its foolishness in the former nomination of a gold brick for President. What does Oyster Bay take us for? In the language of Bjohnsterne Bjohnstone, "We care not to be very many suckers any more already."

President Wilson, speaking parables in his acceptance speech at Shadow Lawn, uttered this one: "The Republican party is just the party that cannot meet the new conditions of a new age. It does not know the way and does not wish new conditions." The whole truth about it is that the President's remarks are absolutely beyond the peradventure of Republican refutation.

Two Irishmen in dry territory decided to engage in thought for ten minutes and then tell each other their thoughts. At the end of the ten minutes Mike said he thought about resting his foot on a brass rail. "Bedad," said Pat, "it's meself that thought about getting both feet on it, but me second thought was that it's a waste of thought to be thinking of something that amounts to nothing more than an idle dream."

According to Teddy's own words, the only President he ever picked for us turned out to be an over-sized gold brick. He is now trying to get us to favor another one of his selections, but as he didn't know it was loaded in 1908, it is not to be supposed that he knows enough to unload any more of his Presidents on an unsuspecting public. Ain't 'e got 'is nerve with 'im to presume that the folks can be thimble-rigged by him some more? Indeed, Teddy is so down on the first President he selected that he does not even speak to him. Trust him to pick another now? Not on your tintype. He might as well put up his old thimble.

There is nothing to keep other people from engaging in the same kind of business that you are doing, but they will never do you if you know how to do business. The house that has the goods and lets it be known in snappy advertisements can secure patronage when others cannot. A mercantile house establishes its reputation by the class of merchandise, by the reasonableness of its prices and by its honorable dealings with everybody, but the reputation and method of that house can only become widespread by widespreading advertisements—the best and the least expensive salesman that any house can have. Watch the crowds chasing themselves to the business establishments which make advertising a silent partner in their business.

PAPER MAKING IN NORTH CAROLINA

The Star has contained several references to Mr. W. H. Crocker's presence in Wilmington to investigate the possibilities for a pulp and paper manufacturing industry in this city. A few days ago our news columns carried an extensive notice of the prospectus of the Old North State Pulp and Paper Company, which has been chartered under the laws of North Carolina and which Mr. Crocker is endeavoring to promote. The prospectus clearly outlines the advantages for such an industry here, and with reference to the proposed enterprise, the Norfolk Virginian-Pilot says in an editorial:

"It is not surprising that manufacturers of print paper should be investigating Eastern North Carolina with a view to establishing mills there. The wonder is rather that the opportunities which the section offers in that direction have not been recognized and utilized lon gago. In the Sound country in particular and in the eastern part of the State in general there is a comparative abundance of timber well suited for the making of wood pulp which is easily accessible and to be had almost for a mere song."

Mr. Crocker's effort here is attracting attention abroad and it will serve to impress others with the resources and the opportunities of the Wilmington territory. Marked copies of The Star sent to other states have been the means of eliciting newspaper references to the adaptabilities here for a pulp and paper industry, and incidentally it is recalled that the Manufacturers Record has several times pointed out that communities recognizing the value of publicity for themselves in every possible manner could find no more effective way than to use the local press liberally with this view. For instance, when local newspapers contain articles concerning industrial movements, opportunities, or advantages in any development or constructive particular, the best kind of publicity can be had by mailing marked copies to persons and points where they are liable to interest and attract those who are looking for opportunities for investments, promotion and development.

Mr. Bion H. Butler, a former Pennsylvania newspaper man, who has become a fixture in North Carolina, once made the folks sit up and take notice of an address in which he declared that "North Carolina is sloppy with opportunities." He stated a glaring fact and has done all but take a meat axe to us to get us to realize it and believe it and do something about it. Mr. Crocker, who is here talking paper factory, is also a Pennsylvanian and a former townsman of Mr. Butler. He believes what Mr. Butler said about North Carolina opportunities and he came down here to investigate. After several months of investigation he has found an opportunity for a pulp and paper manufacturing industry.

The thing to say at this time is that Mr. Crocker and his investigation into that opportunity ought to be investigated on their merits, for it is worth while for that to be done by Wilmingtonians and by capitalists abroad. It is up to Wilmingtonians to take quick notice of all promoters and to encourage in every possible way the promotion of all meritorious enterprises for which there are advantages and opportunities in Wilmington. He has a plan and proposition reduced to figures in black and white, and whether his plan of promotion is good or whether there is a better plan is simply a matter for business-like consideration.

Those who know the timber resources here ought to know as well as the Norfolk Virginian-Pilot that the wood supply for pulp making and the economy for securing the raw material and rafting it to Wilmington, creates the vital advantages for pulp making at a profit, whether the pulp product is shipped away or preferably turned into paper on the spot. Regardless of promoters' plans, the general proposition as to the adaptability here for pulp and paper making is one which is self-evident to anyone who investigates the matter. If we don't care to go to that trouble we can encourage George to do it.

The Star sees the pulp and paper end of it all right but so far as the most effective promotion plan is concerned that is a secondary detail to the general pulp making opportunity that is here. We have read Mr. Crocker's prospectus with interest and particularly that portion of it which emphasizes Wilmington's advantages as to water and rail transportation—not alone for any one industry but for a thousand of various kinds—domestic and export industries as well. Whether Mr. Crocker has given the pulp and paper industry an effective boost or not, but we hope he has, he certainly has given a big boost to Wilmington's ideal transportation advantages for industrial purposes.

The Star has pointed them out many times, and if we can't make Wilmington an industrial city on her rail and water facilities, we might as well quit trying. If we would only become deeply aroused to that fact as a whole community we could strike some sledge hammer blows for Wilmington. The sloppiest opportunities in North Carolina are right here in Wilmington. A portion of Mr. Crocker's prospectus ought to be swiped for boosting purposes, and if he has a proposition to place before the house in a general way the house ought to give him a chance to do it on a plain matter of fact business basis.

If Wilmingtonians can aid in bringing capital to Wilmington it is about as constructive as if we were gobbling up all the opportunities ourselves.

CHEWING THE RAG WITH HUGHES

There is a tinge of regret that some of the Nashville audience which heard Judge Hughes speak last Monday night was disposed to "heckle" the distinguished gentleman who wants to beat Wilson for President. Unfortunately, however, the Judge's campaign methods invite just such a demonstration as he faced before the tumultuous crowd in the Nashville auditorium. The Republican candidate has been making his campaign along the line of "anything to beat Wilson," but that is not all. One of his campaign aims is to oust the South from the saddle. He has been unsparing in his criticisms of the President, and he has not been at all prudent in his sectional motive in impressing upon the country that the South's influence at Washington must be destroyed.

It is a matter of regret that the Judge has not been very particular about arousing Southern prejudice, contrary to his own chances in the South. The South is hardly expected to applaud a Presidential candidate who wants to prize it loose from the saddle, if there really is such a thing as the kind of saddle that does anything but make the G. O. P. elephant's back sore. In coming South to speak, the Judge might have expected that he would talk to audiences which do not approve his motive in getting the South out of the saddle. In fact, Southerners are in favor of the South in some of the saddle, but it is because they look upon it as riding the G. O. P. elephant to grass. Furthermore, those Southern audiences favor Wilson who has never been worried about getting the South out of the saddle. Wilson has never pointed to Southern influence as a menace to the Republic. He knows too well that it is a menace to Republicanism and privilege and free-bootery.

It is quite natural for the South to be for Wilson, because he has always regarded the South as a sovereign and trusted part of the United States. The South would lack self-respect were it to favor a man who wants to get it out of the saddle and who does not hesitate to say so. That is one of the Judge's issues and he sprung it on himself. The South's best thinkers regret that on Judge Hughes' account but not because it worries the South except as a matter of reviving sectionalism fifty years after it ought to be as dead as Hector.

Judges Hughes unfortunately mobilized himself against the South and he has called President Wilson a weakling and vacillator and such like. The South doesn't agree with him on either of those propositions. They do not constitute a statesmanlike argument. The South is willing to hear arguments on vital economic questions and national matters in which it wants to be interested, but the South has been rubbed the wrong way by the renaissance of sectionalism.

The Nashville audience did not want to hear Wilson criticised, but it wanted to hear real issues discussed. It asked some questions in which it was more interested. The Americanism of the South wants to hear something worth while. It is for big questions. Of course, as regrettable as it may be, talking small things to a Southern audience is liable to bring on a dispute with the crowd. The South does not regard Huerta as a national issue. It is believed in the South that he is dead, and, furthermore, it never was for Huerta alive and it cares less for his corpse. The South wants Huerta to stay buried. The fence law is a keener and more vital issue in some sections than Huerta.

We think that Southern audiences ought to be respectful to Judge Hughes, but he has the wrong end of the argument for the South. He does not strike the South as having any argument at all. Anyhow, the South resents the idea that it should be made an issue along with such dead things as Huerta and sectionalism.

THE PEOPLE KNOW WHO WILSON IS

Republican ideas of Wilson widely differ but it matters not how they size him up, since the people know what Wilson has done for them. Probably his greatest fault in the eyes of Republicans is that he leans too far towards the people, and that, in that respect, he too literally exemplifies the Jeffersonian idea of Democracy. Concerning the confused Republican ideas of Wilson "Savoyard," the great Washington writer, says:

"While Candidate Hughes is denouncing President Wilson as a weakling and a trifler, Senator Cummins, of Iowa, one of those hybrid Republican statesmen, too honest to be a Standpatter and too prudent to be a Bull Mooser, warns the United States Senate, of which body he is a distinguished and somewhat garrulous member, that Mr. Wilson is a vigorous, robust, fierce, and ruthless tyrant, who makes the American Congress fetch and carry for him as his whim demands. Another Republican statesman, and I regret I do not now place him so as to mention his name, tells us that Woodrow Wilson is much like Oliver Cromwell, who "with his mace," dispersed the English Parliament. Some of us marveled somewhat thereat, for we had understood that Cromwell had a sword with him on that occasion, and contemplated the mace with a feeling as nearly akin to deference as it was possible for him to muster, and so he reviled it as a bauble and ordered it out the way. Whom are we to credit? Hughes says Wilson vacillates; 'Cummins says he knows what he wants and by the exercise of a powerful and imperious will gets it. One thing the people know is this—that, since Woodrow Wilson has been President the American Congress has enacted more constructive and beneficent legislation than it ever did before in its entire history in the same length of time. The people know that."

The people have been watching Wilson's administration for more than three years. Savoyard is right. The people are their own judges, and what they know is contrary to the prejudiced and vastly differing conceptions of snarling Republicans. He can't be what Hughes says he is and also be what the abler Cummins says he is, but the people know what he is, for they are grateful beneficiaries of a Wilson administration that has done things for them.

WILSON'S LINCOLN EULOGY

President Wilson's eulogy of Abraham Lincoln bespoke the homage which the South would pay to the memory of American's martyr President. The South could not honor the American republic, of which it is a part, if it did not honor the memory of the Civil War President whose task was greater than that of all the chosen leaders of the American people. Nothing in the history of the dead past can cloud the vision of the South as to Lincoln's greatness. The South broadly accepts him as a great American and worthy of being ranked among the world's greatest men. That will be the national view in the future, if it is not now, and it is now the South's view.

The memorial which Americans have erected at the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln is a proper tribute to the chief martyr of our national strife, and the housing within that momerial of the little log cabin in which Lincoln was born, marked by the exercises at Hodgenville, Ky., on Monday, typifies a worthy American sentiment in which the South bears a pathetic share.

In his speech on that occasion President Wilson lauded Lincoln as the very embodiment of democracy. That is the statement of a Democratic President who declares a broad truth which all Americans accept. Real democracy stands for freedom and justice, and history shows that Abraham Lincoln was a martyr to that cause. A world full of prejudice cannot deny him that exaltation among mankind. The South shares in every lofty American sentiment that is worthy of a great people.

THE NEED OF REVISED CHEMICAL STATISTICS.

A movement to revise our international and domestic chemical statistics has been initiated by the American Chemical Society and other chemical organizations.

Dr. Bernhard C. Hesse, chairman of a special committee appointed by the American Chemical Society to devise a practical method of obtaining a revision of our lists, has presented a tentative list made up from items currently reported by foreign countries and by different bureaus of our own. The co-operative thinking of all those engaged in chemical pursuits of an industrial or commercial aspect in this country is urgently requested.

The purpose is to ascertain what articles should be specifically enumerated in our import and export statistics. An attempt is being made to provide for every phase of chemical industry. The advantage of an adequate revision would be to bring to the attention of domestic chemical manufacturers new domestic needs of foreign chemicals supplied from foreign sources, long before such foreign sources became successfully entrenched in the business in this country. Such things have frequently happened in the past, as we all know.

Regarding the movement, the Oil, Paint and Drug Reporter of New York, says editorially:

"Inspection of the chemical lists of European countries during the past 20 years, Dr. Hesse asserts, so far as they relate to chemicals and allied materials, shows that these lists have been very greatly expanded, much more so in fact, than our own, and in general each European country seems to arrange its list with a view to giving its own people the largest amount of detail of the manufactures of other, and presumably rival, nations, while at the same time giving as little prominence as possible to such of its own industrial output figures as might prove of advantage to others.

Just at this time, when the coal-tar chemical industry in this country seems on the verge of permanent expansion as regards dyestuffs, medicinals and other synthetic products, and when for the past two and one-half years the large chemical producers of this country have enjoyed a period of unparalleled prosperity, it has become imperative that authoritative advice be given both as to the nature of our domestic market today and as to what it may develop into in the not far distant future. Such information is absolutely essential to any intelligent attempt to become independent of foreign supplies when, the barriers of war lifted, the laboratories and government-subsidized plants of Europe turn to us for a market and for financial rehabilitation.

As Dr. Hesse truly says, there can be no debate on the general proposition that the more we know about our market requirements the more likely we are to upbuild a domestic industry, not alone in chemicals and dyestuffs, but in many other lines of production.

The number of different chemical materials and products that this country will continue to use in the future will not be diminished—if the experience of European nations during the past two decades is any criterion, it will be very largely extended. The time for amplification of existing government lists is indubitably the present, since the longer the task is postponed the more difficult it will become, and the more demand it will make upon government resources.

In preparing to present their request to the government for the added information outlined in Dr. Hesse's article, the committee, very wisely, is insistent upon obtaining as mature and as complete a presentation of what the majority of those likely to be affected by the information agree upon as can be collated. In other words, the list should be as definite and as close to final form as it can be made.

Taking the ground that they do, that this matter is vital to every one engaged in it, the committee has named itself as a clearing house through which all requests can be submitted in final form to government officials, and in form not only to interest, but to enlist the active co-operation of the officials who must of necessity supervise the details of the collection and the presentation of the facts sought.

We are heartily in favor of the step proposed by Dr. Hesse and his associates, and we trust that the successful fruition of their labors may be but a stepping stone to similar enlargement of the field of government statistics in every industry in international commerce, or which may eventually enter world fields. The chemical industry in this country today is in vital need of every fact that can be vouchsafed it officially, and we trust that the response to the invitation extended by the committee of the American Chemical Society will be so general and so intelligent and so enthusiastic that no government barrier can be interposed.

The very reasonableness of the request, at first sight, may militate against an immediate unanimous participation by the industry, but any one who reads the tentative list as printed on pages 16, 17 and 18 of this issue, together with Dr. Hesse's argument in advocacy, will not hesitate to assist as an individual in any way in his power to bring about this much-to-be-desired step toward truly helpful and intelligent participation by the government in business.

The petitioners ask no subsidy, no protection for any infant industry or moribund business; they ask information which the government is in a position to give to them—and they should get it.

NOTE—Persons or corporations industrially interested in chemicals are urged to send suggestions or inquiries to the undersigned, who is authorized to take up the matter with the central committee of revision.

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Expt. Station, W. Raleigh, N. C.

CURRENT COMMENT.

If anybody ever accused Mr. Wilson of being controlled by the interests they should take it back now.—Durham Herald, Ind.

Judge Lyon declares that the liquor sold by New Bern blind tigers is poison. Surely the judge does not mean at this day to go on record as intimating that it may be medicine in any circumstances?—Raleigh Times.

There are thousands of acres of low lands in South Florida that now are not considered of any value, that will make ideal pasture for cattle and hogs with very little cost or work. These lands could be fenced, drained and set to some improved grasses and used to fatten hundreds of cows and hogs at practically no cost. Livestock raising is sure to be one of the largest, if not the largest industry in a very few years. There is no industry that will make a country rich quicker than stock raising, and Florida owing to its climate, is as well adapted to animal husbandry as any state in the Union. Every farmer should have at least a small herd of hogs and cattle and the better the breed, the more profit he will make.—Plant City Courier.

By the terms of the Adamson bill, the United States Government assumes control over railroad wages as well as over railroad rates. Neither the unions nor the railroads seem to realize as yet that as a result of their eight-hour controversy Government regulation of interstate common carriers has entered into a new phase. Both the union leaders and the railroad presidents assume that the Adamson bill arbitrarily establishes an eight-hour day for train crews. It does not. It establishes an experimental eight-hour day to enable Congress to obtain information upon which to take definite action. By the terms of the act an eight-hour day is to go into effect January 1. The President is to appoint a commission to study the practical workings of this eight-hour day. The activities of the commission are to cover a period of not less than six months or more than nine months. The eight-hour day is extended for thirty days after the report of the commission, the whole question having again become subject to the will and authority of Congress. Out of this must necessarily come a new railroad code under which railroad labor no less than railroad capital will be subject to the control of the United States government.—New York World.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 5.—After being shipped from Holyoke last night, reaching the Grand Circuit track at 3 o'clock this morning, Galeton, son of Harongale, won the 2:24 trot in straight heats this afternoon, beating a field of four other horses and taking a new mark of 2:17 1-4.

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HEALTH IS WEALTH

by John B. Huber, A.M., M.D.

Health that snuffs the morning air.—GRAINGER.

Never Temporize With Cancer.

WE continue here from yesterday our discussion of cancer. Irritation prolonged through months and years all too often leads to a cancer at the site of the irritation. Thus there is the clay pipe cancer; there is that of the tongue from the jagged edge of an undentistried tooth, the laryngeal cancer (of which Grant and Unser Fritz died) from the inveterate smoking of strong tobacco; the cancer from X-ray burns (how long the list of medical martyrs who have suffered thus): The cancer from prolonged exposure to the sun; that from insect bites or intestinal parasites; that from betel nut chewing, in India; from eating very hot rice in China; the kankri cancer in Thibet.

Prolonged disturbance of function not amenable to the ordinary remedies should excite suspicion. It is suicidal not to get such suspicion dissipated.

This is especially so regarding the digestive apparatus. Function and structure are as inseparable as mind and matter; bad functioning is bound to lead to diseased structure. Anemia, nausea, indigestion, loss of appetite, of weight, strength and stamina, jaundice, bleeding from the stomach, uneasiness, pain and tenderness below the breastplate—don't temporize with such manifestations. Stomach pain has been considered to indicate cancer and its absence to remove the occasion of fear; but here were a broken reed to rely on, for even the advanced cancers have given no pain. These warnings must be emphasized for men after forty who have been alcoholics or habitual eaters of irritating, indigestible and super-abundant food. And the most heartrending cancers are those of women who have neglected the warnings given by discomfort and functional disturbances peculiar to their sex.

Cancer is always localized at first; operation then would mean the removal of the entire growth and cure in many cases. Some operators have demonstrated eighty per cent. of cures by early operation. Operation not early, and with extension, have given fifty per cent. of cures. And when complete removal is impossible operation will give relief sometimes for years; though there are likely to be recurrences and no cure.

HE THAT RULETH HIS SPIRIT.

C. O. writes: 1. Kindly let me know through your valuable column if anything can be done for me. I am 22 years old and my brain has become very dull during the last two years. I think it is due to a very bad habit. I am at present unable to think or remember anything. 2. Can a doctor do anything for me?

Answer: 1. Sin no more; and at your age you will regain your virility of character and your strength of mind. But it is impossible to countenance the habit. 2. Yes; a sympathetic physician, of tried probity and reputation in your community can and will help you greatly. Whatever you do, steer clear of the lost manhood quacks. Be determined to be king of all that is under your own hat.

UNDERWEAR.

Answer to L. P.: In variable weather and whenever the difference between the day and the night temperature is marked, wool is the preferable underwear, being a non-conductor of heat, and hygroscopic (moisture absorbing); woolen underwear thus tends to retain the body heat by absorbing the moisture of perspiration, by preventing evaporation and sudden chilling of the body. Next to wool silk is the best non-conductor; and the softness of its texture recommends it to those who can afford the relatively high cost. There is light mesh wear made which can be worn next the skin; and this will prevent the sticking of the silk to the body. In a warm equable climate cotton underwear, which retains the heat less than wool and silk and is cheap, should be and is for most people, satisfactory.

John B. Huber

This column is devoted to disease prevention; to physical and mental hygiene; to domestic, industrial and public sanitation; to the promotion of health; efficiency and long life. The latest developments in medical science will be presented. Questions of general interest will be answered here, space permitting—all others by mail if stamped return envelope is enclosed. Requests for personal diagnosis or treatment cannot, however, be considered in any way.

TOMORROW: Summer Complaints.

HON. THOS. W. BICKETT SPEAKS HERE TONIGHT

North Carolina's Next Governor Will Open Campaign

Address Will Be Delivered at the Academy of Music—Chairman Thos. E. Cooper to Preside—Everybody Is Invited.

The opening gun of the Democratic campaign in New Hanover county will be fired tonight at a great rally to be held at the Academy of Music when Hon. Thos. W. Bickett, North Carolina's next governor, will deliver an address in which he will discuss the issues of the day. The exercises will begin promptly at 8 o'clock and it is expected that one of the biggest crowds ever assembled at a political gathering here will be on hand. The ladies are especially invited to attend.

Mr. Thomas E. Cooper, chairman of the New Hanover Democratic Executive committee, will preside at the meeting and will briefly outline the plans that have been made to roll up the biggest majority for the Democratic party in this county in the history of the party. Mr. C. C. Cashwell, secretary of the committee, will also have a few words to say.

L. Clayton Grant, Esq., the Democratic nominee from New Hanover county to the next Legislature, will introduce Attorney General Bickett. All of the preliminary addresses will be short as it is desired to give the distinguished visitor ample time in which to explain the record of the Democratic party and to show wherein and how the Republican party has failed to serve the people. This he will be able to do in a way that will make it decidedly interesting.

As a speaker on political topics or any other that he chooses to discuss, Attorney General Bickett has few equals in the State and no superiors. He is an orator of great force and always introduces enough of good humor to make his addresses well worth hearing.

No political rally would be worth anything, no matter how splendid the addresses, unless there was some stirring music and this has been provided for tonight. The Whitlock-West band will give a concert in front of the postoffice building at 7:30 o'clock and from there will proceed to the Academy of Music.

With reference to the itinerary of the State that Attorney General Bickett is now making, yesterday's Charlotte Observer has the following:

"In Charlotte last night for a brief stay, after strenuous campaigning in Shelby, Attorney General T. W. Bickett was especially enthusiastic over the progress of the campaign and the confident yet working spirit that he finds wherever he goes. He says there will be the greatest outpouring of Democrats and the fullest vote this election the State has ever had and that the defeat of Republicanism will be the most overwhelming yet. Mr. Bickett speaks Tuesday at Lillington and has a series of appointments under the direction of the State Democratic headquarters, which is taxing his strength to the utmost. However, he is fine form and his speeches are declared to be stirring the people as they are rarely stirred in the recurring campaigns."

CHAIRMAN M'GIRT FOUND WILSON LEADERS CONFIDENT

New Hanover Man Returns from Notification Ceremonies at Shadow Lawn.

The Democratic leaders in the North are very confident of success in the approaching election, says Chairman W. A. McGirt, of the New Hanover Board of Commissioners, who attended the notification ceremonies at Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, N. J., on last Saturday afternoon when President Wilson was officially apprised of the fact that he had been re-nominated as the Democratic candidate for the presidency.

Chairman McGirt attended the notification as one of the members of the North Carolina notification committee and had an excellent opportunity to hear the President at close range. There was a big audience present at the exercises and President Wilson was given a very cordial reception.

Chairman McGirt motored over from Philadelphia to Long Branch and was very much impressed with the excellent highways over which he traveled. He was especially struck with the fact that the roads are being maintained in splendid condition.

After attending the notification ceremonies, Chairman McGirt went over to New York to spend Sunday, returning to Wilmington Monday.

CHILD IS BITTEN.

Henry Stelges is Bitten by Lumber Lizard.

Henry E. Stelges, 14-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Stelges, of No. 701 South Sixth street, was bitten several times Sunday morning while playing around a lumber pile at his home by a lizard, not generally regarded as belonging to the poisonous species. Dr. G. H. Croom was called in and treated the wounds inflicted. The reptile is known among the negroes of this section as "Johnny Swift" and "Race Horse."

Excursion to Norfolk.

Several hundred people, largely colored, left Wilmington on the 3:40 a. m. Coast Line train yesterday morning, for Burgaw, N. C., where they boarded a special excursion train from that place to Norfolk, Va., expecting to return late tonight. Their journey being into a territory where the ardent still flows, the contingent from Wilmington was armed almost to a man with grip sacks and the gin mills of Norfolk will likely do a large original package trade before they return to this city.

Will Present Play Tonight.

"Said, King of Israel," a dramatic cantata in five acts, will be presented at the Victoria theatre tonight by a company of local colored talent, as a benefit for Mt. Olive A. M. E. church. Seats reserved for white patrons. Admission will be 25 cents. The public invited.

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"The Grip of Jealousy," with Louise Lovely. Grand today.

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UNHERALDED STORM STRIKES?

While Second Storm Forecasted for Last Night Failed to Materialize. Joke on Weather Bureau.

An unheralded storm accompanied by puffy winds of gale force broke over Wrightsville Beach shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning, and wrecked the dwellings of a number of residents of Tent City, many of whom later abandoned their tent houses for more substantial quarters. The force of the gale which was accompanied by a heavy rain, shook the houses at the beach to such an extent that cottagers were much alarmed.

The fact that the Government Weather Bureau at Washington had forecasted "probably fair weather" for yesterday and gave no warning of the approach of the storm until several hours after the wind was roaring past the cottages at the beach was the occasion for much joking comment on the part of residents there and in Wilmington.

On the other hand the storm which was forecasted from the Washington bureau for last night failed to materialize. Storm warning signals were ordered hoisted yesterday morning along the South Atlantic coast from Cape Hatteras to Savannah, yet reports from Wrightsville Beach at 10 o'clock (about the time the storm was scheduled to arrive) were to the effect that the stars were shining, the moon up and only a light breeze blowing, while the water and waves were no higher than usual. Cottagers stated that there were no indications whatever of a high tide.

On account of the storm which hit the Beach yesterday morning and the belated warning of the storm sent out from Washington of a storm which never arrived, much alarm was felt by residents at the beach lest a more violent storm or hurricane might be forthcoming. Following the hoisting of the storm signals on the postoffice building here, about 9:30 o'clock, local Observer G. W. Felger received in the neighborhood of 300 telephone calls from those rendered uneasy by the happenings of the early morning.

According to the warning sent out from Washington, a disturbance was reported off the Georgia coast and it was announced that it would probably move northward, attended by strong shifting winds, reaching gale force on the North Carolina coast.

Despite the "probably fair weather" forecasted for Wilmington and vicinity yesterday, the city was visited by a drenching rain which set in shortly before midnight Monday. For the 24 hours ening at 8 o'clock last night a rainfall for the day of 2.43 inches was recorded at the local office of the United States weather bureau.

When Observer Felger was interviewed yesterday afternoon by a representative of The Star who suggested that the weather bureau had let a storm and one of the heaviest rains of the season slip up on it unawares, that official disclaimed responsibility and explained that forecasts for the Wilmington district are sent out from Washington. The cause of the slip-up seems to lie in the fact that the weather bureau cannot maintain observing stations out at sea and must rely upon ships at sea sending reports by wireless, which they sometimes fail to do. The Washington bureau depends therefore, largely upon its system of correspondents stationed along the sea and gulf coasts for its forecasts. They, however, cannot report a storm which originates at sea in sufficient time to give adequate warning of its approach, unless the ships at sea send in wireless reports in advance of the time when it actually strikes the coast.

Course of Storms Known.

Most of the storms that viciously attack the Gulf coast cities and many of those which visit the South Atlantic coast originate in the Carribean Sea, and the radius of curvature their path will take from the original point are a matter of chance.

It is mathematically determined, experts say, that all these storms that start in the tropics revolve like the hands of a clock and generally proceed in a northwesterly direction. At other times the curvature leads the storm to strike the Yucatan channel and the Mexican coast. Sometimes it will pass more directly over Cuba and strike the Gulf coast anywhere between the Rio Grande and the capes of Florida. In the case of the storm which several weeks ago created havoc amongst shipping along the South Atlantic coast and sunk the naval collier Hector off Cape Romain, S. C., it churned around in the Carribean for more than a week and took a northeasterly course following the South Carolina coast line and thence inland until it was central over the western section of North Carolina.

The people of the Gulf coast states have been considerably worked up lately over the failure of the Weather Bureau at Washington to give sufficient warning of the approach of storms, and investigation is now under way to fix responsibility and to ascertain whether the fault lies with the bureau or its correspondents in the proximity of the Caribbean Sea.

At a late hour last night the following dispatch was received from Washington:

"The storm on the South Atlantic coast was central tonight off the south coast of North Carolina and was moving north, northeastward. It was attended by wind of moderate gale force in the vicinity of its center and rains on the South Atlantic coast. Storm warnings are displayed from Wilmington, N. C., to the Virginia capes."

LOCAL MEN LEAVE TO JOIN THE ARMY AVIATION CORPS

Messrs. Page and Woody Will Enter Practice School at San Diego.

Messrs. Arnold B. Page and Kenyon Woody, of Audubon and Winter Park, respectively, will leave this morning for Charlotte, where they will enlist in the aviation corps of the United States army. From there they will go to San Diego, Cal., and undergo a six-months' training in the Army Aviation School. If they pass the tests successfully they will be enlisted as aviators. As such they will paid at the rate of $150 a month.

Mr. Woody applied for enlistment at the local recruiting station several days ago, but was slightly underweight. It is understood, however, that the Dar Department has waived this lack of avoirdupois, upon recommendation of Corp. Roy F. Tracy, formerly in charge of the Wilmington recruiting station. Both Mr. Page and Mr. Woody received long distance telephone orders from the Charlotte office yesterday to report at once.

NEW BANK ELECTS OFFICERS

Stockholders of Community Savings & Loan Company Organize—Open Next Week for Business.

Directors and officers were elected at an organization meeting of the stockholders of the Community Savings & Loan Company which was held in the offices of James & James, Inc., in the Southern building, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock and the new bank will open for business about the middle of next week. This latest addition to the financial institutions of Wilmington will not compete with the other banks but will make loans to men of small means on such conditions as to make it easy for them to pay back the money which they borrow. Its capital stock is $25,000.

Mr. A. M. Hall, president of the Merchants' Association, and also of the Bureau of Credits in this city, was elected by the directors as president of the new bank. The other officers are: Vice presidents, Messrs. C. W. Polvogt and W. I. Baxter; secretary and treasurer, Mr. W. G. James; attorney, Cyrus D. Hogue, Esq.

The directors of the new bank elected by the stockholders are Messrs. A. M. Hall, C. W. Polvogt, W. I. Baxter, C. D. Hogue, C. C. Chadbourn, J. Haughton James, Thos. F. Wood, C. W. Woodward, Thos. E. Cooper, W. A. Woods, Edwin Bancroft, Edw P. Bailey, J. W. H. Fuchs and Horace Pearsall.

The directors adopted a resolution calling on all the stockholders of the bank to make their payments on stock by Saturday of this week, so that it may open for business promptly. It was decided that the bank should have its headquarters in the offices of James & James, Inc., in the Southern building.

The system under which the bank will operate is that which is known as the Stein universal plan for savings and loans. The associations organized under this plan, it is stated, have practically eradicated loan sharks wherever they have been established. The plan of making loans enables the poor man of good character with an earning capacity to borrow money at the legal rate of interest and to repay it on small weekly payments. The slogan of the plan is that "it capitalizes a man's honesty."

The Community Savings & Loan Company in Wilmington is being organized under the authority of the Universal Savings Corporation, of Norfolk, Va., but is purely a local institution, financed by local capital and managed by local men. Mr. Harvey M. Dickson, vice president and general manager of the Universal Savings Corporation, and Mr. J. W. Richardson, of the same firm, both being of Norfolk, Va., who have been in the city for several weeks in the interest of the new enterprise, will remain here until it is opened and ready for business.

The officers and directors of the new bank are well known local business men. Practically all of the stock has been subscribed for and the institution will begin business under very favorable conditions. Those behind the proposition believe it can be of great service to a large class of citizens in this community.

MR. J. M. REESE DEAD

Aged Confederate Veteran Died at His Residence—Funeral Today.

Mr. James M. Reese, 82 years old, died yesterday morning at 5 o'clock at his residence, No. 916 South Fifth street, following an extended illness. Mr. Reese was one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Wilmington. He was a Confederate veteran.

He was formerly employed at the Champion Compress of Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son, but had not been able to do any active work for a number of years. He came to Wilmington about 35 years ago. Surviving Mr. Reese besides his widow, is one son, Mr. T. F. Reese, of this city.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence. Interment will follow at Bellevue cemtery.

PLENTY OF GASOLINE HERE

Further Drop in Price Anticipated in the Near Future, Say Dealers.

There is plenty of gasoline in Wilmington, according to the dealers, who estimate that the total available supply is no less than three million gallons. This is the distributing point for a large section of North and South Carolina as the oil is brought here in vessels. Had the anticipated railroad strike been pulled off this week, there would have been a big demand for gasoline as automobiles would no doubt have been brought into use on a large scale.

The present market figure is 23 cents a gallon, a drop of two cents having been made in the last few weeks. Local dealers are expecting another material decline in price in the near future, owing to the increasing supply rapidly being stored up from the new wells sunk when the cost began to soar last year. In fact, they state that the price would no doubt already have been lower had it not been for the threatened railroad strike.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: Wesley Jones and wife to Emmitt T. Sampson, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the south side of Hanover street, 165 feet east of Seventh, 41x66 feet in size, Oliver T. Wallace to C. G. VanLandingham, for $100 and other considerations, lot at Carolina Place; Joseph Daniels and wife to W. C. Pigford and wife, other considerations, lot on the northwest corner of Second and Marsteller streets, 47x66 feet in size; Max Mayers and wife to W. C. Pigford and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the north side of Hanover street, 120 feet west of Third, 42x145 feet in size; E. S. Knight and wife to Bertha Y. Mayers, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the north side of Hanover street, 120 feet west of Fifth, 45x145 feet in size.

FUNERAL OF MRS. BIGGS.

Services Were Held at Residence Yesterday Afternoon.

Funeral services for Mrs. Zilphia Biggs, who died at 11:30 o'clock Monday night at her residence, No. 115 Marsteller street, were held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Caldwell, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church. Interment followed at Bellevue cemetery.

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"The Grip of Jealousy," with Louise Lovely. Grand today.

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THEY WANT HIGHWAY BUILT

Commissioners to Look Into Question of Building Road to Fort Fisher. Other Matters Considered.

The building of an improved road from Carolina Beach to Fort Fisher Sea Beach, a distance of about three miles, is a matter that the Board of County Commissioners expects to look into immediately, according to statements made at the monthly meeting yesterday afternoon. One of the conditions upon which the county paid half of the expense of the construction of a hard road from the Masonboro loop to Carolina Beach, a distance of seven miles, was that the beach development companies were to extend the road at their own expense for a distance of three miles to Fort Fisher Sea Beach.

The beach companies were required to give bond guaranteeing that work on the last link of the road would begin not later than October 1st of this year. Representatives of the three companies appeared before the board at a recent meeting and asked for permission to build a plank road for the remainder of the distance. This has been under consideration, but the members of the board do not appear to be favorable to that proposition and will probably insist that a soil road be built. Road Superintendent Burnett has had a force of hands at work doing some repair work on this section during the past several weeks.

Mr. W. B. McClellan, of Winter Park, was before the board yesterday afternoon to ask that a committee be appointed to appraise the damage, if any, that has been done to his place in the suburb through the construction of a road recently. Mr. McClellan thought that he ought to have some compensation but said he was willing to leave it to a committee. The matter was referred to the permanent road committee.

After considerable discussion, the board voted to pay for repairs to the automobile of Deputy Sheriff A. L. Kelly, the cost of which amounted to about $150, but not in the future to be responsible for any repairs to the machine. Deputy Sheriff Kelly said that the machine has been used exclusively in the service of the county.

The board also ordered that New Hanover's share of the expense of making the preliminary survey of the Wilmington-Fayetteville highway, amounting to $147.38 be paid. The total cost of the survey was about $1,500 and is to be borne by the counties through which the highway passes. However, it is expected that Federal aid will be secured in building this road and in that event half of the expense of the survey would be borne by the government.

The various monthly reports were received and ordered filed. Road Superintendent R. A. Burnett reported that Camp No. 2 of the county convict forces which is composed of an average of 26 men and nine teams is now stationed at the Ten-Mile post on the Scott's Hill road and was engaged during the past month chiefly in making repairs on the Gordon road and at Winter Park. Gang No. 3, which has an average of ten men and six teams, was kept on the Carolina Beach and Fort Fisher highway. Gang No. 4, which has an average of six men and five teams, was kept busy dragging the county roads.

Chairman W. A. McGirt presided at the meeting of the board yesterday afternoon which was attended by Commissioners MacMillan, Willard and Kerr.

COLORED WOMAN GIVEN 3 MONTHS ON COUNTY FARM.

Twelve Colored Defendants Are Arraigned on Gambling Charges.

Julia Ellen, alias Rosa Jones, colored, was the chief sufferer at yesterday morning's session of the Recorder's court. She was given three months at the county farm on a charge of disorderly conduct in default of ability to pay a fine of $20 and costs.

Of 12 colored defendants charged with gambling who faced the Recorder, the heaviest sufferer was Tom Walker, who was given 30 days on the county roads in default of a fine of $2.50 and costs; and Henrietta Jones, George Bullock, Willie Parker and Rudie Woodall, Will Dangerfield and Isabelle LeGwin were given suspended judgments upon payment of one-half the costs. John Griffin and Jim Brown, being used as State's witnesses in these cases gained immunity.

In the case of Messrs. E. E. Page and J. A. Rodgers, charged with affray Rodgers was found not guilty. The case against Mr. Page and a charge of assault with deadly weapon against Mr. Rodgers will come up for trial at this morning's session of court.

Other cases disposed of were those of Julia Faircloth, alias Estelle Crawford, colored, who was given 30 days on the farm in default of a small fine; Willie McGhee, colored, charged with reckless riding, was continued; Will Della, colored, against whom a charge of larceny was continued; and Eddie Bell and William Shepard, colored boys, charged with affray, were paroled in the custody of their parents.

FALLING GANGWAY CAUSED DEATH, SAYS CORONER'S JURY.

Investigated Drowning of Negro at the Clyde Line Wharf.

After taking the testimony of several witnesses, the coroner's jury which was impaneled yesterday morning at the county court house to investigate the death of Joe Nixon, colored, who was drowned Friday morning at the Clyde Line wharf at the foot of Castle street, rendered a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by drowning, following a fall from a gangway, alleged to have been improperly secured.

There were no eye-witnesses at the exact moment when Nixon fell into the river, but there were several who heard the splash and saw him after he struck the water. According to the testimony the deceased was engaged in transferring a load of cement from the steamer Cherokee to the wharf and after the accident they saw that the gangway end nearest the vessel had fallen into the river.

According to the testimony of one witness, the gangway had been fastened by a rope to a rib in the side of the vessel a short time before the accident occurred. As neither the gangway nor the rope were broken, this witness explained that the rope might have slipped from its fastenings.

The hearing was held before Coroner A. S. Holden. Solicitor George L. Peschau conducted the examination of witnesses.

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VALIDITY OF LAW CHALLENGED

City Ordinance Imposing Tax on Employing Persons For Work Outside State to Be Tested.

The case of William Perkins, who was arrested a few days ago at the union station here by Chief of Police Williams on a charge of carrying off about 50 negroes whom he had engaged to work for a railway company at Philadelphia, will come up for a hearing Thursday morning on an agreed state of facts before Recorder Empie. The defendant is represented by the firm of Rountree, Carr and Davis, while County Solicitor George L. Peschau will appear for the State.

The counsel for the defendant, it is understood, will challenge the validity of the city ordinance for the alleged violation of which Perkins was arrested. They contend that the city ordinance is attempting to license a business which the State makes a misdemeanor. They also will contend, it is said, that their client does not come within the prohibition of the State law which makes it unlawful for any person to induce, persuade or entice any person under contract, oral or otherwise to leave the employ of his master for work with the agent's company outside the State, as their client was engaging the men for work under himself, which they contend he has a perfect right to do.

The city ordinance mentioned imposes a tax of $100 a day on any person who shall entice away for employment in another State persons who are under contract of employment here, or who is here for the purpose of hiring men for employment outside the State.

The State Revenue law ,it is pointed out, simply imposes a tax upon any person, immigrant or agent who is engaged in the business of hiring persons to be employed out of the State. This, however, is not to be interpreted as meaning that a man is not free to employ men to work under himself direct, either in or out of the State.

FUNERAL OF MRS. PLUMMER.

Services Will be Held This Morning at Her Late Residence.

Funeral services for Mrs. Susan V. Plummer, widow of the late Capt. John W. Plummer, who died at the residence of her son, Mr. John W. Plummer, No. 312 North Fifth street, at 1:25 o'clock yesterday morning, will be held this morning from the residence at 10 o'clock. The services will be conducted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Interment will be in Oakdale cemetery

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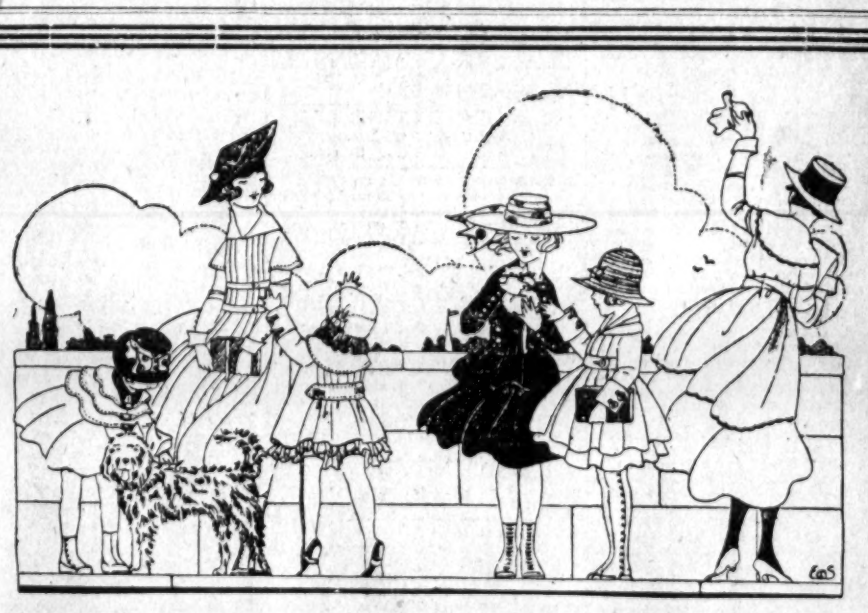

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mrs. Ben McMillan has gone to Wrightsville Beach to spend a while with Mrs. A. H. Slocomb, Jr., at her cottage there."

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Lumberton Robesonian: "Mrs. B. F. McNeill and daughter, Miss Nellie McNeill, and Mr. Jeter Rollins went Saturday to Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend a few days."

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Mrs. Otto Banck and Miss Dorothy Banck have returned from Seven Springs, Wayne county, where Mrs. Banck spent a while for her health. Her friends will be glad to learn that her recuperation has been entirely satisfactory.

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MISS CARRIE DANIELS THE BRIDE OF MR. MELVIN ANDREWS

Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 5.—There has not been a prettier wedding celebrated in the First Baptist church than was that at high noon today when Miss Carrie Daniels, the beautiful and popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Daniels, of this city, and Mr. Melvin Andrews, of Mt. Olive, were united in the holy bond of wedlock, the pastor, Rev. Geo. T. Watkins, officiating, and the service being especially beautiful.

The chancel was the work of loving hands and artistic taste in its massive banking of green plants as the background for a gorgeous shield of white flowers. Before this entrancing bank of evergreen and lovely flowers the bridal party assembled and made a beautiful grouping.

The organ was presided over by Prof. W. H. Brown, and as the congregation awaited they were regaled by a splendid rendition of "The Bridal Morn," by Mrs. Green S. Johnston and her sister, Miss Mildred Edmundson, Hon. D. H. Bland and W. E. Stroud.

Then Miss Ruby Dorrity sang in her own sweet way "O Promise Me," and as she concluded, the organ sounded the first notes of Lohengrin's Wedding March.

The groomsmen came up either aisle and formed in waiting at the chancel, where stood the officiating minister. These were Messrs. John Collins, Geo. E. Daniels, Jos. Andrews and G. C. Johnson.

Then came the lovely maid of honor, the bride's younger sister, Miss Mary Daniels, gowned in white, with black picture hat and carrying a shower bouquet, herself a picture as beautiful as a fashion plate.

Next came the lovely bride, always beautiful, but never more so than as she walked with her father to her bridal altar, gowned in a most becoming going away suit of blue and white with hat to match.

She was met at the chancel by the groom, escorted by his best man, Mr. Allen Andrews, his brother, and then, to the soft notes of the organ, the marriage vows were spoken.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy young couple were driven to the union station where they boarded the Southern passenger train for Asheville, and after their bridal trip to the mountains they will be at home to their friends at Kenly, where the groom, a University graduate, is principal of the public schools.

REPORT OF THE WILMINGTON EIGHT WEEK CLUB COUNCIL

An Interesting Account of What Group of College Girls Accomplished.

On June 14, 1916, a group of college girls met in the parlors of Y. W. C. A. of Wilmington, for the purpose of forming an Eight Week Club Council (to be composed of leaders of smaller clubs) to carry an recreational schools for girls in the city and nearby villages, and to take part in some definite work for the benefit of the community.

The charter members of the Council were: Misses Elizabeth Thames, Pauline Williams and Gordon Thomson, representing the North Carolina State Normal College; Miss Ruth Brown, of Institute of Mississippi, and Miss Anna Troutt, of Maud Belmont college. The other members were Miss Katharine Russell, Converse college; Miss Florence Renneker, Salem College; Miss Fannie Starr Mitchell and Miss Mary Hall, State Normal college; Miss Edelweis King, Greensboro College for Women; Miss Margaret Garvey, Meredith College, and Miss Rosalie Ditmore, State Normal College.

Plans of organization and the work of the Council were mapped out. It was decided that a chairman and a secretary be eelcted to systematize the work of the Council. Miss Elizabeth Thames was elected president and Miss Gordon Thomson as secretary. The general programme for the Council mapped out was as follows: Devotional, roll call and reading of minutes of secretary, report of clubs, discussion, report of community work, discussion, study of Grace Dodge's "Letters to Busy Girls," adjournment.

A number of working fields were discussed, but those at last decided upon as needing the most attention were: Winter Park, Delgado, Wrightsboro, and in the city at Southside.

At the remainder of the meetings the entire work for the summer was decided upon and carried out. The community work came under two heads, the first being the furnishing of a room at the county home, and second being the entertaining of the children at the Robert Strange playground by telling stories and playing games every Monday afternoon.

Through the kindness of Dr. Thames, the room was obtained at the county home, and the work on the furnishings immediately begun.

Each of the clubs established in the selected fields had some share in the work. Curtains were made by two of the clubs, a bureau and coverings by another, a wash stand was donated by a member of the Winter Park club, flowers were raised by another club, and a ra grug and foot rest were made by a club composed of little girls from two to ten years. In general this part of the community work was taken in charge by the smaller clubs under the supervision of their leaders.

The other part of the work, the story telling at the playground, was entirely in charge of the leaders. Each Monday two members of the Council went over to the grounds and spent an hour in telling stories and teaching the children games. Sometimes the sun would seem to burn the very sands, but with all that there was always a happy crowd waiting on the grand stand. In rainy weather Mrs. Creasy is due the sincerest appreciation for allowing the children to gather in her home.

In every way the Council proved most successful in Wilmington. The co-operation of the clubs has been wonderful. More than 175 girls had some part in the work. Each club had a regular programme drawn up along devotional, practical and social lines, and it was the duty of the leader of the club to see that this was carried out at each meeting. The club gave an entertainment for the pleasure of their friends.

At Wrightsboro, the club was under the leadership of Misses Elizabeth Thames and Katharine Russell. Among the meetings two were of especial interest. The first of these was in July, when the club had as its guests Miss Adelaide Van Noppen, an excellent leader of the Eight Week Club in Greensboro, who spoke, and Mr. Woodrow Clarke, of Greensboro, a talented young violinist. The second of these meetings was the last, when an entertainment was given in honor of the mothers and sisters of the club members. There were present 50 persons. A programme of union songs, solos, recitations and games was carried out after which refreshments were served.

The Winter Park Club was under the leadership of Misses Fannie Starr Mitchell and Mary Hall. The girls in this club were more advanced and something of sewing was taught. One of the ways in which interest was aroused in the club was a "Tennis party," given by the leaders at the last meeting. Rev. Andrew J. Howell spoke and told how much the club had meant to the girls of Winter Park. There was a programme of games and solos, after which refreshments were served. The members were anxious to continue the club during the winter, and the prospects are that this will be done.

The Delgado day club was under the leadership of Miss Pauline Williams and the Delgado night club was under the direction of Miss Rosalie Ditmore, the former being with the younger girls and the latter with the older ones. Under Miss Williams' direction, the girls took up the interesting study of hygiene.

Both of these clubs, perhaps, have meant more to their members than any of the others. The girls here were most responsive and willing. The entertainments for the two clubs were given together. There were more than 50 present, and a general good time was enjoyed by all. Miss Williams gave a few recitations and Mr. Warren Sanders, a gifted young violinist, delighted all with his playing. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake, were served.

The Southside Club was under the leadership of Miss Gordon Thomson.

This club was the only one in the city limits. The meetings were held at the Kindergarten room of Immanuel Presbyterian church. Besides the regular community work, two large cloth scrap books were made by the members for the children of the hospital. The entertainment of the club was most interesting. The color scheme of the club, dark blue and white, was carried out in every way. The hall was decorated in ivy vines and the colors were placed under the arches. The members told what the club definitely stood for, simply "A. O. F." or "Always for Others." A programme of songs, recitations and games was carried out. Refreshments were served by some of the club members, dressed in pure white, with blue and white regalia, with the letters "A. O. F." thereon.

The Council as a whole considers the work accomplished in the clubs indeed gratifying, and wishes to express its thanks to the President of the Wilmington Y. W. C. A., Mrs. J. R. Kenly, and to Miss Nancy Anderson, city secretary, for their earnest co-operation and interest in the work which was undertaken.

Respectfully submitted.
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CLARENDON LODGE MAKES DONATION TO PLAYGROUND.

Contribution Made by Fraternal Organization for Worthy Purpose.

No contribution that the Loyal Boys' Club has received for the purchase of apparatus for the Robert Strange playground is appreciated more than the donation of $5 made last night by Clarendon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, at its regular meeting. The contribution was entirely voluntary and without an appeal from anyone and is appreciated all the more for this reason. It sets a worthy example and will no doubt be followed by other similar organizations.

Mr. F. W. Gerken, secretary of the club, is aggressively pushing the campaign for funds for this worthy purpose and is meeting with fine success.

Found Roads Good.

The following is taken from the High Point Enterprise of yesterday:

"Raymond Hunt, assistant general manager of the Tidewater Power Company, of Wilmington, and C. VanLeeven, secretary and treasurer of the Carolina Trucking and Developing Company, of Wilmington, spent Sunday in High Point, breaking their automobile trip to Philadelphia by the way of Danville. These gentlemen were favorably impressed with High Point, and were loud in their praise of the good roads found in this community.

Bluebird Photoplay

"The Grip of Jealousy," with Louise Lovely. Grand today.
(Advertisement.)

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MAJOR GEORGE BUTLER, OF CLINTON, SPEAKS AT BURGAW.

High School Opens—Bickett to be Given Rousing Welcome.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., Sept. 5.—Yesterday being first Monday, the usual crowd of visitors was here, the crowd being somewhat augmented by the fact that there was to be a Republican speaking during the day, although this had not been generally advertised. Major George Butler, of Clinton, Republican candidate for Congress in this District, was here and held forth at the court house for over an hour to a mixed assemblage of Democrats and Republicans. If he succeeded in converting any of his Democratic hearers the fact has not been announced yet. In fact, the people are too busy thanking God for Wilson for keeping this country out of war to take any stock in any Republican criticisms of Wilson's Mexican policy.

The Burgaw High School opened yesterday morning with a very full enrollment and the prospect of a fine session. Prof. W. R. Smithwick is the principal and has a very able corps of assistants. It was stated by the chairman of the school committee that this session may cover nine months. This, however, is not certain at this time.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church served dinner in the court house square yesterday in the interest of the building fund of the church. A very neat sum was realized.

Preparations are on foot to give Hon. T. W. Bickett a rousing welcome next Thursday when he is to speak here. Arrangements have been made for a barbecue, and a big crowd is expected to be present to hear him.

Mrs. John Southall, of Magnolia, who has been visiting friends here for the past week, has returned to her home.

Mrs. A. H. Addison, who has been on an extended visit to relatives at Pilot Mountain and Mount Airy, has returned home.

The game of baseball between Shallotte and Burgaw yesterday resulted in a victory for Shallotte by a score of 7 to 6. The two games that were to have been played today were postponed on account of rain.

Labor Day was known here by the postal employes only, the postoffice being closed and the rural carriers having a holiday.

That tobacco of a good grade can be grown successfully in this section is fully proven by the experience of Mr. R. Sanderson, of the Stag Park section, who has realized this year around $200 an acre for his crop. He had some that would command as high as 50 cents per pound.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Among the arrivals at the Orton yesterday were: Miss Nannie McLaurin and D. M. McLaurin, Laurinburg; G. H. Currie, Clarkton; J. G. Lewis, Hendersonville; T. Q. Hall, Wallace; W. H. Eaton, Raleigh; Wm. R. Camp, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jordan, Mt. Airy; W. H. Dickson, Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams and J. C. Draughn, Clinton; W. B. Covington, Rockingham; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jenkins, Fair Bluff; Edward Clark and John R. Baer, Charlotte.

—Among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were: Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McGuire, Fayetteville; Mrs. H. E. Sledge, Lumberton; John E. Ray, Raleigh; C. A. Turner, Charlotte; Mrs. Frank Thompson and Misses Leah and Loiuse Thompson, Jacksonville; J. B. Vaughn, Jr., and B. Maas, Charlotte; M. N. Raynor, Fayetteville; J. W. Wilson, Bolton; Harry T. Paterson, New Bern; W. H. Williams, Jr., Warsaw.

—After an absence of three months, during which time he was at Goldsboro, Mr. G. T. Edens has returned to Wilmington to take his former position as night clerk at the Hotel Wilmington.

LOCAL DOTS

—The British steamship Grantley, 1,154 tons, Captain Meldrum, master, yesterday cleared light and sailed for Orange, Texas. She will touch at Charleston on the trip down the coast. The Grantley arrived in port here on August 28th from Pomeron with a cargo of fertilizer material, which was discharged at the Seaboard terminals.

SAYS HE HAS LITTLE DOUBT AS TO RESULT OF ELECTION

Hughes Speaks at Cincinnati and Then Leaves for Maine.

Cincinnati, O., September 5. — Charles E. Hughes told a crowd which heard him speak in the open air here tonight that he had very little doubt as to the result of the election in November.

"Everywhere I have been," Mr. Hughes said, "the depth of feeling manifested has indicated to me that there is very little doubt with respect to the result."

The nominee remained only an hour between trains in Cincinnati, leaving at 9:45 p. m. for Maine. A large crowd met him at the station, and red fire and fireworks lighted the short ride to the place where he spoke.

PRESIDENT AGAIN SIGNS ADAMSON EIGHT-HOUR BILL

To Make Certain That Its Legality Cannot Be Attacked.

Washington, Sept. 5.—To make certain of the legality of the 8-hour bill for railroad employes, signed last Sunday in order to avoid the threatened railroad strike, President Wilson tonight signed the measure for the second time. He went through this unusual procedure because there was fear that the railroads in attacking the constitutionality of the law might make the claim that it was not effective because it was signed on Sunday.

As the enrolled bill went to the State Department tonight to become a public record it bore the President's signature twice, with the dates, September 3 and September 5.

DISCLAIMS INTENTION OF REFLECTING ON THE SENATE

Blakslee Writes Letter to Chairman Bankhead.

Washington, Sept. 5.—James I. Blakslee, the fourth assistant Postmaster General who recently was called to account by members of the Senate Postoffice committee for charges he made in letters to postmasters that the committee "surrendered to the railroads" in their action regarding rail pay in the postoffice appropriation bill, wrote a letter to Chairman Bankhead today, disclaiming intention of reflecting on the Senate.

Newport News, Va., Sept. 5.—The forty-first and sixty-sixth companies of coast artillery, which have been on the Mexican border, will return to Fortress Monroe tomorrow afternoon. The companies were at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., when ordered to the Mexican border, having been sent there to assist in training the civilian volunteers.

Key West, Fla., Sept. 5.—The U. S. transport Hancock arrived here today from Vera Cruz to take aboard the naval board of inquiry appointed to investigate the wrecking of the cruiser Memphis last week in San Domingo. The board, consisting of Captains Hood and Hughes and Naval Constructor Du Boise, is expected here tomorrow.

CHINESE PRESS DENOUNCES DEMANDS MADE BY JAPAN

Peking Gazette Says the Demands Threaten China's Sovereignty.

Peking, September 5. — The Chinese press strongly denounces the Japanese demands made on China in connection with the conflict between Chinese and Japanese troops at Cheng Chiatun, Morgolia, on August 13, which resulted in the killing or wounding of many on both sides. The demands call for the dismissal of the Chinese officers in command of the troops, the withdrawal of Chinese troops from the district, indemnification of the families of the Japanese killed, and police rights for Japan in inner Mongolia.

The Peking Gazette asserts that the demands threaten China's sovereignty, and urges the appointment of an investigating commission composed of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France and Russia.

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Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

Wednesday Morning Specials at the Bon Marche

This morning we will place on sale at very special prices several articles which it will pay you to be on hand at our opening hour—9 o'clock.

There will be many other items on sale that the advertisements do not mention.

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One lot of Shapes; Special for one hour ..... **8c each**
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200 yards Crash Toweling, sold at 18c yard; Special, one hour, at **9c yard**
(10 yards limited to a customer.)

10c and 12 1-2c Embroidery and Laces; Special for one hour at. . **3c yard**
(10 yards to a customer.)

50c Chamoisette and Lisle Gloves; Special for one hour ..... **10c pair**

Sheets; Special at. **75c and 79c each**

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The Victoria Theatre has struck just this happy medium in their booking for the opening work of its season, beginning next Monday. Absolutely topliner vaudeville bills (formerly on Keith circuit) are on the bill each day next week. There is a dazzling galaxy of new song hits, presented by a well-dressed chorus of good looking young men and pretty girls, a total of fifteen big song hits—real songs—all with novelty electrical effects; a cracker-jack quartette that is alone worth the price of admission; one of the prettiest prima donna singing and dancing leading ladies seen in vaudeville; absolutely the best negro blackface comedian that has ever appeared at the Victoria (Guy Johnson himself), and others, go to make up this company.

Three complete changes of bill and vaudeville numbers will be given each week, on Monday's, Wednesdays and Fridays.

"The Innocence of Ruth."

Today the Royal presents one of the most refreshing photoplays of the entire year, a magnificent six-reel Thos. A. Edison master drama, "The Innocence of Ruth," written by William Addison Lathrop, and starring in the title role, "The Biggest Little Broadway Star," Viola Dana, with the finished actor Edward Earle in her support.

"The Innocence of Ruth" is designated as a "drama of pathos and passion" and it is a play of rare charm, of wholesome power, of constant change and variety. It is a feature in which the petite winsomeness of lovable Viola Dana is prettily brought forth, and offering a role which fits handsome Edward Earle with admirable grace. An entertaining and full measure of thrill as well as charm—it is truly an unusual feature.

Viola Dana, as the innocent little orphan girl left in the care of a young and unscrupulous guardian, who would play upon her innocence, is a charming Ruth whether child or youth. She adds to the illusion of the drama by her skill and grace in the "dance of the flowers and as "Yama Yama." She displays ability, also in the portrayal of coquetry, gayety and in the sterner moods.

The Motion Picture World says: "The picture is finely staged and there are many situations of strength, the picture being well played throughout will make a release that will be much enjoyed by theatre patrons all over the country."

Royal patrons are urgently requested byt the management not to miss this feature today.

"The Grip of Jealousy" Today.

A romantic drama of the Old South, "The Grip of Jealousy," one of those great Bluebird photoplays which you have seen so extensively advertised in the Saturday Evening Post, has been secured for presentation at the Grand today in response to an insistent demand from those who have read the advertising of these great new feature productions. "Undine" was a Bluebird photoplay, and is a good example of the magnitude of these featudes.

"The Grip of Jealousy" stars that beautiful star Louise Lovely, that bewitching little leading lady who has been heralded the "find" of the year. She is one of the most exquisite beauties ever seen on the screen, and with it all is a dramatic actress of no mean capacities.

How boy and girl of two vengeful families secretly wed; how the birth of a daughter changed the whole trend of affairs in one particular countryside, and what developed as a result of a suspicion of murder directed at an innocent man, has been worked out from a complicated beginning to an entertaining and enjoyable photoplay that will provide disclosures well worth the attention of the most inveterate picture fan.

Patrons of the Grand are requested to give this Bluebird feature the "once over" today, as the management will not book others of this brand unless the patrons think they are superior to other feature brands now being shown. It is one of the newest and most famous brands of feature pictures, and as such, costs a higher rental than the old established brands.

Big Bill at the Bijou.

"A Son of Neptune," a three-reel Gold Seal drama of the sea, heading today's big bill at the Bijou, contains real pathos that will make even the most calloused of moving picture fans take out his handkerchief and remark that the picture plays make his eyes water. One of the saddest things in the world is to see a child separated from its parents by death or any other cause, but when a helpless waif is mistreated there is something in human nature that yearns to right the wrong. "A Son of Neptune" is an actual portrayal of real misfortune and must have a universal appeal.

"A Son of Neptune" is the kind of a picture that will make the kids wild with joy; that will bring a simultaneous smile and tear to the eyes of fathers and mothers; that will make John seek Mary's hand in the semi-darkness of the theatre, and will scramble everybody's emotions up completely. "Little Joe" is played by Gordon Griffith, and when it comes to playing leads J. Warren Garwood Rawlinson Julien Madison Fuller has nothing on Master Gordon. A thrilling rescue scene in the finale makes this a truly Universal picture with a universal appeal, and it's in three reels.

"Broke But Ambitious" is a great Nestor comedy with Eddie Lyons and Lee Moran, which is also a today's bill.

TODAY'S GREAT BLUE BIRD FEATURE AT THE GRAND

MEETING CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

There will be a meeting of the Civil Service Commission, at the City Hall, on Wednesday, September 6th, at 8 o'clock P. M. Applicants for positions in the Police or Fire Departments are notified to be present for examination.

By order of the Chairman.

THOS. D. MEARES, Clerk.

MANY FREE ATTRACTIONS.

East Carolina Fair Expected to be Bigger Than Ever.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New Bern, N. C., Sept. 5.—Mr. J. W. Burroughs, secretary of the Eastern Carolina Fair, is now engaged in booking the free attractions which will be seen during that event and he assures the public that these will be more varied and better than has ever before been the case.

The fair this year is to be held on November 7th to 10th and the promoters are endeavoring to make it the most successful ever held and to make the event as good as any held in the State.

Farmers in this section have been urged to send exhibits of their farm products and a long list of valuable prizes are being offered for these.

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SOUTHPORT NEWS NOTES

Capt. Harper Gives Receipts From Excursion to Public Library.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, Sept. 5.—Two things today make impressive the fact that summer has passed, and the fall has come. First, the storm of wind and rain, equinoxial in character, and second, the return of the steamer Wilmington to the one-round trip daily.

Through the generosity of Capt. John W. Harper, the Southport public library was again the beneficiary, yesterday, of the entire receipts from the sale of tickets of the excursionists, who made the trip to Carolina Beach. Capt. Harper has for two or more years extended this favor, which is a double one, as the library is assisted financially, while those who make the trip have a most enjoyable one at small cost.

The Star correspondent, who was one of those enjoying the excursion to Carolina Beach, was impressed with the improvements that have been made at the beach during the past year. A number of attractive private summer cottages; a fine roadway for autos to Wilmington, and not by any means least, the Greystone Inn, a most inviting place to stop, with all modern improvements. A dozen autos, to be seen at different houses and before the inn, showed how the good roadway's influence brought visitors.

The Dosher-St. George factory is now and has been for several days, busy taking in the raw shrimp product, at one end of its plant, and in a short time having the same cooked and canned, ready for the consumer, at the other end of the plant. Workers at the Dosher-St. George plant get what the colored boy calls "cash money," being paid as fast as each pan of shrimp is turned in picked, ready for cooking. All workers in the different departments are paid in full at the close of each day's work.

The report that the Thirty-first Company will be back to Fort Caswell this week, returning from the Mexican border, is causing more local interest than the departure of these soldier boys did, when they left here several months ago. They will be welcomed on all sides.

WOULD OPEN DIRECT ROUTE TO TENNESSEE COAL FIELDS

Norfolk Southern May Connect Snow Hill With the Main Line.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 5.—Local businessmen foresee in the proposed construction of a rail line from Snow Hill to a connection with the Norfolk Southern's Raleigh division at Walstonburg or Stantonsburg, an ultimate continuous route all the way from Cape Lookout to the Tennessee coal fields. The Norfolk Southern operates the line from this city to Snow Hill; from that point to either Walstonburg or Stantonsburg is less than a score of miles, and from Kinston to Beaufort is but three hours' run over the Beaufort division. There are several reasons why the connection of the Beaufort division with the Raleigh division via Kinston and Snow Hill would be profitable. A short cut would be afforded for a large section; a northern outlet would be furnished rapidly, developing portions of Greene, Pitt and other counties, etc. The Norfolk Southern is understood to have promised Green county farmers and businessmen that the link will be constructed as soon as practicable. It is believed in some quarters here that the company intends to drive west from Charlotte.

MRS. CORNELIA LOVE DEAD

Was the Wife of Rev. F. Swindell Love, of Aberdeen.

(Special Stad Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 5.—News is received here of the death at Charlotte of Mrs. Cornelia Craig Love, wife of Rev. F. Swindell Love, a former pastor of Queen Street Mehodist church, here, now stationed at Aberdeen. Mrs. Love resided in this city for several years, going to Brazil with her husband for about two years when he left the pastorate here to take up a position on the faculty of a Methodist college inland from Rio. She was very well-known in the city and popular in social and church circles. She had been in poor health for some time, and had undergone several operations, it is said. She is survived by her husband and two children. The funeral is to be held at Monroe, N. C., today.

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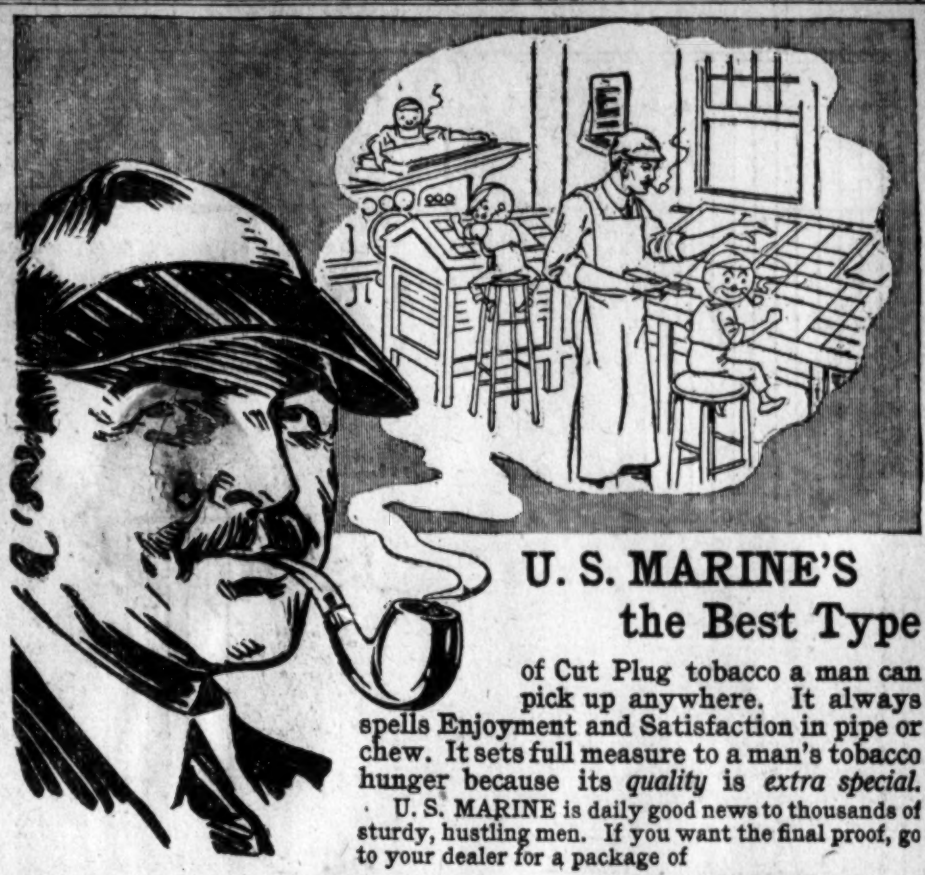

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Nothing Can Replace Pearls In Woman's Favor - Small Diamonds Set In Unique Fashion - Blazing Supper Rings Make Gloves Superfluous - Bracelet Watches More and More Popular - "Tailored" Jewelry.

COLOR is the important feature in the new "tailored" jewelry —so called—which is correct with street attire. The well dressed woman does not wear her delicate brooches, lace-pins ear-rings and bracelets with her street costume, substituting smart, "tailored" jewelry of special make and design. With sport garb "tailored" jewelry is perfectly correct also, yet the sort of trinket traditionally correct with evening costume would be in very bad taste indeed with sport toggery.

"Tailored" jewelry is bold in color and design and is rather Oriental in suggestion. Basket effects are very popular in this sort of ornament—deep-colored stones mounted in settings of peculiar, individual style, and of platinum, white metal or green-gold rather than the yellow gold which is used for ornaments worn by gaslight. There are massive chains, or chains delicately formed in hand-craft patterns—all sorts of chains; for the lorgnette, for the pendant or locket, for the handbag, for the muff, and just chains, to be twisted twice or thrice around the neck falling over the blouse-front in ornamental effect. Rings, brooches and bracelets come in this style also; and gate-tops for silk reticules. Then there are wrist-watches, buckles and even buttons all fashioned to lend color and distinction to the street costume. Color and not glitter is the arresting feature of the stones and though the tailored suit may be somber or neutral in tone, the well chosen "tailored" jewelry, echoed by one bright note somewhere in the costume lends interest and distinction. For instance, with a tailored suit of dark blue serge will be worn a touch of clear yellow in the hat, and ear-rings and a lorgnette chain in amber and dull gold. A very handsome pair of ear-rings has a narrow mounting of bronze, with long pendants of smoked amber and drops of deep red coral. A long pendant of smoked amber set in bronze has small peridots and yellow topaz, the whole forming a long, triangular design which rests on the front of a tan or brown chiffon blouse. With a costume of smoked gray or taupe, dark red coral is very effective.

Diamonds Not Worn With Sport Costumes.

The girl who goes out to the country club in October to play golf all day on the breezy links, will leave her diamonds at home. Diamonds are not considered good taste with sport attire, though almost any other stone may be worn provided it is properly set—in not too delicate a manner. Some jewels are most effective with the bright silk sport coats and striped skirts that accompany them and the woman who is particular about little things matches even her glazed kid sport shoe trimmings to the general scheme of her costume inclusive of her "sport" jewelry. The latter includes wrist-watch, belt buckle, sleeve links and hat pins. Precious stones are not at all necessary. There are excellent composition jewels which, cleverly set in hand-craft settings, give the correct effect, and these ornaments, by the bye, are not at all "cheap" either in looks or actual cost. Some stunning buckles of bronze or copper are noted on new autumn sport hats, a grosgrain ribbon being run through the big buckle and around the hat crown, tying in a tailored bow at the back. Amethysts, jade, garnets, topaz, turquoise, amber and the rich-hued coral: all these are high in favor for "tailored" and "sport" jewelry, with mountings of copper, bronze and gunmetal.

The Lorgnette Always Exclusive.

With the elaborate afternoon or dinner costume for the restaurant, more brilliant jewelry is en regle. Several very effective ornaments for this type of costume are pictured with a restaurant frock and hat. The lorgnette, with its chain of small amethysts set in white metal, adds tremendous distinction to the costume. Nothing is more impressive than a lorgnette, when the latter is well handled. The lorgnette pictured is a super-elegant trinket, of white metal and small diamonds. Such a lorgnette as this costs a great deal of money. A very good one in simple design may be bought in gold for about twenty dollars, in gunmetal or washed gold for seven or eight dollars. They are expensive little trinkets at their cheapest and for this reason never become common. The simple gold lorgnette, or the one of gunmetal may be hung on a narrow black ribbon, with tiny metal slides; a handsome lorgnette like the one pictured requires an equally handsome chain

The Vogue Of Cameos.

Cameos are again very fashionable and many handsome old ornaments are being remounted with modern settings. Cameos look best with dainty afternoon frocks, and are at their loveliest with rich laces. They may be worn, when correctly mounted, with street costumes, or with evening gowns; but their proper place is with the handsome afternoon gown or blouse. Pink cameos are most beautiful, but white cameos on coral, onyx or shell backgrounds are very smart. Brooches of cameo set in medallion effect are surrounded with narrow oval or eight-sided frames of twisted gold and seed pearls. Cameo buttons, similiarly mounted are used on very exclusive frocks where expense is not counted.

A new wedding ring for the autumn bride is a very interesting affair. The ring, a narrow, heavy hoop in the fashionable width to outward view, is in two parts and a special twist of the finger divides the sections. The inscription is engraved on the flat inner-side of one of these sections and is known only to the bride and the groom—and to the intimate friends to whom the cherished secret is imparted. A stranger, examining the ring would never guess that it was not an ordinary "one-piece" wedding-ring and in a whole lifetime, if the bride chooses, no one will ever know what tender sentiment the groom has had engraved within the twin sections of her wedding circlet.

There is a new engagement ring also, with "amor"—and every girl who has studied Latin at finishing school knows what that means—engraved inside. The setting is massive with interlocked hearts in openwork effect on four sides of a pedimeat sup-

Diamonds on her Frock, on her Neck and in her Hair, for the Opera

Turquoise and Diamonds for the Blonde, Pearls if She Chooses, or Opals

porting the large solitaire. And by the bye, the happy fiance whose lady has just said "yes" should be very careful where he purchases his solitaire, these days, for there is a new method of "painting" diamonds. Yellowish stones are immersed in a certain liquid which gives them for a time the pure white or bluish tint which commands a high price. No reputable jeweler would sell a diamond of this sort but sometimes even the best jewelers are deceived by unscrupulous dealers.

Pearls Always In Favor.

The woman who possesses a string of genuine pearls need envy nobody. Her jewels are beyond compare. Not even diamonds have the distinction of handsome pearls and a long string of genuine pearls is worth a king's ransom. One may pay $50,000 for a string just long enough to go around the throat; it may be imagined then what a double loop to hang to the waistline would cost! Yet several society women in New York have such pearls and wear them at the opera in preference to diamond necklaces—which any nobody who has a million dollars may afford. Real pearls are cleverly imitated by "scientific" pearls —and even these are by no means inexpensive. The genuine pearl is very heavy and a string of such pearls is a real burden about the neck—though what woman would object to carrying such a burden? The cheap pearls which one may pick up at a department store for a dollar or two dollars the string look very well—in color at least—but they are made of fishglue and are likely to melt against the neck if their wearer becomes overheated, dancing.

Some very handsome and modish ornaments for next winter's wear, all obtained from authoritative jewelers for today's photographs, will tell you just what fashion has decreed in the matter of autumn trinketry. For wear with a black evening gown there is an odd festoon ornament, fastened to diamond-set bowknots, which blazes across the bodice. The festoon is in chain design, with countless tiny diamonds set in white metal. The upper bowknot matches this design; the one at the girdle is set with diamonds and emeralds. A diamond knot rests in the coiffure and around the neck is a diamond chain with a pear-shaped pendant of diamonds and emeralds. Very well chosen are the ornaments worn by the woman with a feather fan. In the piled-up hair is a bowknot of diamonds and white metal. A beautifully designed brooch of diamonds and white metal in filagree effect has a topaz at its center—the fan being pale yellow to echo this note. The collar is of diamonds.

SUMMER NECKTIES.

A SMART necktie adds style to the simplest summer outing blouse and is a most important adjunct of the costume. Sets of necktie and hat scarf in bright colors with gay stripes on a plain ground come for about a dollar and are most attractive. Hat scarves and ties of knitted silk cost a little more but are exceedingly good looking.

now in bright colored rubber, red, blue, green and orange. The hair must be taken down and pinned flatly in a coil on top of the head with blunt, shell pins, for sharp wire hairpins thrust themselves through the tight rubber cap in no time. A silk kerchief may be knotted over the diving cap if one insists upon becomingness, or a ribbon can be tied around it with a bow at one side or at the front. The kerchief is worn gypsy fashion now, with a flat fold drawn around the brow and ears and a knot tied behind one ear. The hair can be kept perfectly dry if a two-inch wide strip of chamois is tied around the head before donning the diving cap.

The one-piece bathing suit is omnipresent. A year ago it was just beginning to appear but so easy to slip on and off, it is, and so comfortable—with no tight waistband to draw up when the arms toss about in the water —that it is being universally adopted. It may be as modest as one pleases; or as outrageous. In the latter class, it is cut like a scant chemise, with shoulderstraps to hold it up at the top; and its lower edge falls only a little way below the hips, over silk bathing tights. Not very much is left to the imagination with such a costime, especially when it is of silk and has just come out of the water. A more modest style, in black salt water satin, is cut kimono fashion and with box pleats over the shoulders to add sufficient fullness across the bust. The little sleeves cover the top of the arm and the neck is cut out in a shallow square, or is rounded, as one prefers. The hem falls well over the edge of full bloomers or bathing tights and comes to the turn of the knee, and a wide, soft sash of satin or rubber, is knotted loosely around the waistline, giving a trim silhouette. Very gay

The Hamlet Suit Makes A Decided Hit.

sashes of Roman striped silk, with caps to match, make these one-piece bathing suits of black or navy satin very charming. There are also sashes and caps of bright colored rubber; and the wide sash may be taken off and laid across the shoulders like a scarf, during the sun-bath on the sand.

A great comfort is the modern bathing undergarment, of knitted silk or wool—or even cotton—which reaches from shoulders to knees and fits so precisely that any other undergarment is superfluous.

Sensational Bathing Wear this Summer

THE modern American seaside resort is out-Franceing France these days, in audacity of bathing attire. Not so many years ago a woman of presumably refined taste would not have dreamed of appearing on a public beach in anything more startling than a neat bodice and skirt of black satin or mohair, with black stockings to match and one striking bit of color in a kerchief twisted over her head. The selfsame woman now thinks nothing of stepping forth from her bathhouse bedight in a costume that would have done credit to a vaudeville performance a few seasons ago; a sleeveless, shoulder-strapped chemise of satin, perhaps black, perhaps rose-colored or even pale blue, with flesh-tinted silk stockings made even more suggestive of uncovered legs by the neatly laced black satin bathing shoes that cover foot and ankle; and a picturesque shade hat on the lines of a restaurant chapeau, with dashing brim and even a big bow across the crown.

This year Shakespeare bathing suits are the fad, dating from the country-wide revival of interest in all things pertaining to the Bard of Avon at the beginning of summer. There are Portia suits, Ophelia suits, Rosalind suits (very dashing indeed!) and a fetching Hamlet suit, with a deep cape attached by straps passing over the shoulders to the waistband. The costume is black, though of serviceable salt-water satin rather than the silk velvet affected by the Melancholy Dane. The bloomers are shirred in at the knee and are so full that they are a presentable substitute for a skirt; and under them is a fitted hip-

A Shady Hat On The Square.

yoke with small featherbone distenders at the sides which keep the fullness of bloomers accurately in place when the suit gets wet. A matter of poetic license, no doubt is the capelining of brilliant blue silk—there is no record of Hamlet's descending to such frivolity in his somber attire. The sleeves have also cuffs of the blue silk and the cap is of blue rubber with rubber tassels in blue and white. The cape is supposed to be removed for swimming—of course it would float out behind its wearer and perhaps prove a serious incumbrance in floating or swimming on the back. On shore, it is drawn around the shoulders, protecting neck and arms from sunburn.

The square-brimmed beach hat is also intended for sand-bathing; an enthusiastic swimmer would have none of it. It might be worn by a paddler, however, or by a woman who goes into the surf up to her chin and contents herself with jumping over the waves. It is made of rubberized satin, with a wire at the edge of the brim, and is a comfortable, shady and becoming head-covering withal, though it cannot be said to keep the hair dry. For the latter purpose nothing has yet been discovered to equal the tight rubber diving cap which may be drawn completely down over hair and ears. These caps come

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

BIG DECLINE IN COTTON

Sharp Reactions Follow Early Advance —General List Closes at 12 to 24 Points Decline.

New York, Sept. 5.—An early advance was followed by sharp reactions in the cotton market today with December selling off to 15.62 from 15.85 and closing at 15.88. The general list closed easy at a net decline of 12 to 24 points.

The opening was steady at a decline of one point on October but generally 5 to 9 points higher in response to the relative steadiness of Liverpool over the local holidays. Buying orders appeared to be coming in on the early advance and for a time the market showed a good deal of strength and prices worked up to 16.15 for October and 16.30 for January. The detailed weather reports showing good rains in Oklahoma over Sunday tended to check the buying and prices turned easier. An easier ruling in New Orleans and New Orleans selling here contributed to the setback which carried October contracts off to 15.69, and January to 15.93 in the late trading or about 35 to 38 points under the high level of the morning. The close was a shade up from the lowest on covering. The first periodic ginning report of the season is to be published on Friday and this may have helped to turn the trade's attention from recent bullish crop figures to the possibility of increased hedge selling.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
October	16.02	16.15	15.69	15.72
December	16.04	16.23	15.85	15.88
January	16.15	16.30	15.93	15.96
March	16.35	16.46	16.10	16.12
May	16.48	16.58	16.23	16.24

Spot cotton quiet, middling uplands 15.95; sales 100 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 15.63; receipts, 1,941; sales, 3,785; stock, 94,959.

Galveston—Middling, 15.65; receipts, 21,337; sales, 1,599; stock, 109,947.

Mobile—Middling, 15.50; receipts, 1,-203; stock, 17,685.

Savannah—Middling, 15.75; receipts, 17,139; sales, 1,928; stock, 95,068.

Charleston—Middling, 15½; receipts, 1,831; stock, 23,046.

Wilmington—Middling, 15½; receipts, 646; stock, 28,203.

Texas City—Receipts, 331.

Norfolk — Middling, 15.75; receipts, 610; sales, 356; stock, 22,048.

Baltimore—Stock, 1,623.

Boston—Middling, 16.30; stock, 5,500.

Philadelphia—Middling, 16.20; stock, 875.

New York—Middling, 15.95; exports, 1,642; sales, 100; stock, 77,007.

Minor Ports—Receipts, 19,331.

Total today—Receipts, 45,183; exports, 1,642; stock, 494,700.

Total for week—Receipts, 86,390; exports, 14,329.

Total for season—Receipts, 459,460; exports, 422,811.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 15.60; receipts, 13,535; shipments, 11,026; sales, 19,797; stock, 59,139.

Memphis — Middling, 15.75; receipts, 345; shipments, 953; sales, 100; stock, 41,978.

Augusta—Middling, 15.38; receipts, 8,-419; shipments, 57; sales, 2,101; stock, 42,423.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 225; shipments, 759; stock, 13,170.

Little Rock—Middling, 15.62; receipts, 371; stock, 4,933.

Dallas—Middling, 14.95; saels, 6,437.

Montgomery—Middling, 15.38; sales, 6,437.

Montgomery—Middling, 1,538; sales, 100.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Sept. 5. — Cotton: Spot, steady; good middling, 9.87; middling, 9.71; low middling, 9.55; sales, 5,000 bales; 700 for speculation and export. Receipts, 5,000. Futures, quiet and steady. September, 9.62; September-October, 9.61; October-November, 9.61; November-December, 9.57; December-January, 9.56; January-February, 9.55½; February-March, 9.55; March-April, 9.54; April-May, 9.53; May-June, 9.52½; June-July, 9.50½; July-August, 9.47½; August-September, 9.26.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, September 5. — Turpentine, firm, 42¾@43. Sales, 561; receipts, 550; shipments, 263; stock, 21,736.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 794; receipts, 1,-487; shipments, 2,573; stock, 76,897. Quote: A, B, 5.80; C, D, 5.82½; E, 5.85; F, 6.12½; G, 6.15; H, 6.20; I, 6.23½; K, 6.25; M, 6.30; N, 6.35; W G, 6.50@6.60; W W, 670.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Sept. 5. — Beeves, steady. Choice steers, 9.60@10.40; calves, weak; common to fair, Veals, 9.00@13.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Steady. Sheep, ewes, 5.50@5.70; culls, 4.00. Lambs, 10.00@10.75; culls, 7.00.

Hogs—No trading.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Market Weakens Under Bearish Influence—Loss 20 to 27 Points.

New Orleans, Sept. 5.—Under a bearish feeling the cotton market weakened today, falling 39 to 47 points from the high levels made in the early part of the season and closing at a net loss of 20 to 27 points. The support was lacking today except for a short time following the initial decline. There was much liquidation of long contracts and apparently offerings of short cotton were heavier than usual.

Around the opening prices lost seven points, but the decline called forth fresh buying for long account on which the market improved until the active months were 14 to 18 points over last week's close. This upward movement attracted heavy selling under which the market slumped. At noon all the advance was lost and prices were at a net decline of about 10 points. In the afternoon the market had an easy tone and at the lowest levels prices were 23 to 31 points under last week's final quotations. Late in the day profit-taking on short sales caused a small reaction from the downward movement.

Closing bids: October 15.42; December 15.65; January 15.76; March 15.96; May 16.11.

Spot cotton firm and unchanged; sales on the spot 1,999 bales; to arrive 2,755 bales; middling 16.62.

HEAVY ADVANCE IN WHEAT

Apparent Confirmation of Heavy Spring Crop Losses Sends Values Several Cents Higher.

Chicago, September 5. — Big advances in the value of wheat resulted today, chiefly from advices that seemed to confirm the worst predictions of losses regarding the spring crop yield of 1916. Prices sold unsettled, but 4¼ to 6¼c higher with December at 1.53¾ to 1.53, and May at 1.53¾@1.54. Corn gained 1¼ to 2¾, and oats 1 to 1⅛@1¼. In provisions the finish ranged from 7½ decline to a rise of 15c.

Wheat—December, 1.53¾; May, 1.53¾.
Corn—December, 75¾; May, 79⅛.
Oats—December, 49½; May, 52⅝.
Pork—October, 26.90; January, 24.80.
Lard—October, 14.52; January, 14.10.
Ribs—October, 14.30; January, 13.15.
Cash grain:
Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.50@1.51½; No. 3, red, 1.41@1.50½; No. 2, hard, 1.51¼@1.55½; No. 3, hard, 1.46½@1.53.
Corn—No. 2, yellow, 87@88; No. 4, yellow, 84½@85½; No. 4, white, 84@85½.

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Str. Dora Baltea (Ital.), 2,617 tons, Giavetti, Baltimore, Heide & Co.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)
STAR OFFICE, Sept 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—42½.
ROSIN—$5.50, $5.35.
TAR—$2.75-11c.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—$4.00, $4.00 and $3.00.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 35c.; rosin, $2.75 and $2.65; tar, $1.70-8c.; crude turpentine, $3.50, $2.50, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine ..... (—)
Rosin 28
Tar 17
Crude Turpentine ..... (—)

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 12 casks; rosin, 10 barrels; tar, 14 barrels; crude turpentine, 4 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—15½c.; quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—464 bales; same day last year, 74 bales.

Total receipts since August 1, to date, 19,326 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 5,095 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

September 5, 1916.

Seaboard Air Line—27 bales cotton.

Atlantic Coast Line—436 bales cotton; 28 barrels tar; 17 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—464 bales cotton; 28 barrels rosin; 17 barrels tar.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 5.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, new, 75c. to 85c. bushel.
IRISH POTATOES—$1.00 to $1.15.
CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.
BEEF—Native dressed, 8c to 9c, dull.
PORK—Small, 10c. to 11c. per pound.
WOOL—Burry, 18 to 20c.; first class washed wool, 25c. to 28c.; highest grade, washed, 35c.
SHEEP—Old, good quality, gross, 2 1-2 to 3c pound. Lambs, best quality, 6 to 7c pound.
HIDES — Green salt, 13c. to 14c.
NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 22c.; sides and shoulderers, 17c. to 18c. per pound; good demand.
BEESWAX — Firm, 28c. per pound; good demand.
POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head.
EGGS—30c. to 32c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Sept. 5. — North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker. Fancy hand-picked, 56c.; No. 1 machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Market weaker; No. 1, small, machine picked, 65c.; Jumbos, 60c. per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 5.—Spanish—Market weak and unsettled; $1 asked, and 90c bid.

Virginia—Farmers' Stock, market quiet. Fancy Jumbo, 3½c per lb.; Fancy Handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c per lb.; Prime, 2¾c per lb.; Shelling stock, 2c to 2½c per lb.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, September 5. — Hogs—The smallest Tuesday record ever known here. Market, unsettled; closed weak, 10 to 15 points advance, mostly lost; bulk, 10.50@11.10; light, 10.50@11.35; mixed, 10.10@11.30; heavy, 10.05@11.50; rough, 10.05@10.25; pigs, 6.50@9.10.

Cattle—Steady. Native beef cattle, 6.85@11.50; western steers, 6.50@10.35; stockers, 4.75@7.85; cows and heifers, 3.75@9.50; calves, 8.50@12.75.

Sheep—Strong. Wethers, 6.50@7.85; ewes, 3.40@7.60; lambs, 6.50@10.80.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 5. — Mercantile paper, 3½@3¾. Sterling, sixty day bills, 4.71½. Demand, 4.75¾. Cables, 4.76 7-16. Bar silver, 68; Mexican dollars, 52⅜; government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, irregular. Time loans, firmer; sixty days, 3@3¼; ninety days, 3¼@3½; six months, 3¼@3½; call money, firm; ruling rate, 3 .

STOCKS DISPLAY STRENGTH

There Was Feverish Activity, Apparently Based Largely on Outcome of the Railway Situation.

New York, Sept. 5.—The market today was strong with feverish activity which appeared to have its basis largely in the outcome of the railway situation. Mercantile Marines, United States Steel, Reading, Inspiration Copper and Mexican Petroleum made up an overwhelming percentage of the entire operations. Out of a total of almost 1,000,000 shares the Marines contributed 300,000 shares; Steel 130,000, and the others referred to about 125,000 shares.

Dealings in marines were on a scale almost unprecedented since the boom days in steel, six or seven years ago.

Steel also sold at the highest price in its history, touching 99 in the final trading. Adding last Friday's regular and extra dividends of 2 1-4 points to today's maximum, established a price of 101 1-4, or almost two points more than its previous best.

Conspicuous strength was manifested by motors and accessories.

Stocks were at their best in the last hour, that particular period witnessing a spectacular movement in Mexican Petroleum, Coppers, the more representative industrials, equipments and munitions gained 1 to 3 points, with 5 for Bethlehem Steel. Rails were irregular to heavy.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,735,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	24
American Best Sugar	89¼
American Can	63¼
American Car and Foundry	62¼
American Cotton Oil	B. 52
American Locomotive	76¾
American Smelting	101¾
American Sugar	109
American Tel. and Tel	132
American Tobacco	B.219
American Zinc	35¼
Anaconda Copper	86¾
Atchison	103½
Atlantic Coast Line	112
Baldwin Locomotive	80¾
Baltimore and Ohio	86¼
Bethlehem Steel	487
Canadian Pacific	177
Central Leather	57½
Chesapeake and Ohio	60½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	93¾
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	18¼
Consolidated Gas	137¼
Corn Products	14¾
Crucible Steel	78½
Erie	37
General Electric	169¼
Great Northern, pfd	117
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	38¾
Goodrich	74
Illinois Central	101
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd. ctfs	119⅞
Kansas City Southern	25
Lehigh Valley	78⅛
Louisville and Nashville	B.127
Liggett and Meyers	278
Lorillard Co	B.238
Maxwell Motors	54⅛
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd.	B. 10
Missouri Pacific	4
Mexican Petroleum	109⅞
National Lead	B. 65
New York Central	103¾
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	58
Norfolk and Western	127¾
Northern Pacific	110¼
Pennsylvania	55¾
Reading	104¾
Rep. Iron and Steel	54¾
Seaboard Air Line	15¼
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	B. 37
Sloss-Sheff. Steel and Iron	B. 48
Studebaker Corp	123⅞
Southern Pacific	97½
Southern Railway	23¾
Southern Railway, pfd	68
Tennessee Copper	25
Texas Co	196
Texas and Pacific	10½
Union Pacific	138½
United Fruit	165¾
United States Rubber	59
United States Steel	98⅞
United States Steel, pfd	118⅝
Utah Copper	84½
Virginia-Caro. Chem	41⅝
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke	B. 45
Wabash, pfd., "B"	26¾
Western Union	94½
Westinghouse Electric	59½
Kennecott Copper	50¾

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, September 5. — After an early advance of 31 to 50 points on a hardening of outside buying cotton oil had a sharp setback under profit-taking sales, but again firmed up, and at the close was 26 to 40 points net higher. Additional tenders of 1,100 barrels were put out. Total sales, 52,600; close, firm. Spot, 10.00; September, 10.00@10.25; October, 10.30@10.36; November, 10.24@10.25; December, 10.33@10.43; January, 10.41@10.42; February, 10.45@10.48; March, 10.67@10.69; April, 10.70@10.80.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, September 5. — Sugar—Raw, and centrifugal, 5.02; molasses, 4.25; refined, quiet.

Coffee—Spot, firm; Rio, No. 7, 10c.; Santos, No. 4, 11⅞.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, September 5. — Cotton yarns and yarns were firm today. Dress goods were also firm, with activity in wool lines. Silks were active. Jobbers reported a good trade.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

September 6, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 70 degrees; at 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 77 degrees; minimum, 69 degrees; mean, 73 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 2.43 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 2.53 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 5.2 feet.

STORM WARNING.

Washington, D. C., September 5.—Hoist northeast storm warning ninethirty a. m., Savannah to Cape Hatteras. Disturbance developing off the Georgia coast and will probably move northward, attended by strong, shifting winds, reaching gale force, off North Carolina coast. BOWIE.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy in west, probable showers in east portion Wednesday; Thursday fair.

The Port Calendar, Sept. 6, 1916.

Sun rises ..... 5:49 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 6:32 P. M.
Day's length ..... 12 hrs. 43 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	4:14	5:11	11:42	12:00
Southport	1:39	2:37	8:19	9:20
Masonboro Inl	1:28	2:26	7:59	9:00

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS
September 5, 1916.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
Abilene	clear	92	70	.0
Asheville	cldy	82	60	.0
Atlanta	clear	88	66	.0
Augusta	clear	88	70	.0
Baltimore	pt cldy	90	—	.0
Boston	cldy	72	62	.02
Birmingh	clear	90	68	.0
Charleston	cldy	84	74	.02
Charlotte	clear	84	64	.0
Chicago	rain	86	66	1.34
Galveston	rain	88	82	.0
Jacksonv.	cldy	86	72	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	90	74	.0
Mobile	clear	90	72	.0
Montgom'y	clear	88	70	.0
New Orl	pt cldy	90	78	.50
New York	pt cldy	84	62	.0
Oklahoma	clear	92	68	.0
Palestine	clear	92	74	.0
Pittsburg	clear	84	70	.22
Raleigh	cldy	78	68	.02
Savannah	clear	86	72	.0
Shreveport	cldy	92	72	.32
St. Louis	clear	94	74	.0
Washington	clear	90	64	.0

LABOR DAY IGNORED.

Tobacco Selling Was the Principal "Event" at Kinston.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 5.—Labor day received no more attention here than had it been the Fourth of July, stating a plain truth. The nearest honest-to-goodness observance was at Beaufort, which small city did the day up quite nicely. On the tobacco market here a quarter of a million pounds of tobacco was sold, and that more than anything else was celebrated. The police court was the only institution of any kind aside from the postoffice to suspend, and that was principally because of the fact that the police had only rung up three plain drunks during the whole 48 hours preceding.

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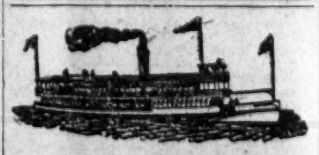

STEAMER WILMINGTON
WINTER SCHEDULE
EFFECTIVE TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
Leaves Wilmington ..... 9:30 A. M.
Leaves Southport ..... 2:30 P. M.
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BALTIMORE	$18.00
PHILADELPHIA	$22.50
NEW YORK	$25.00
BOSTON (Via Norfolk)	$30.50
ASHEVILLE, N. C.	$14.05
WAYNESVILLE, N. C.	$15.35
LAKE TOXAWAY, N. C.	$15.75
BREVARD, N. C.	$14.95
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.	$14.05
SALUDA, N. C.	$13.50
TRYON, N. C.	$13.20

Tickets on sale every day until Sept. 30, good to stop over; limited returning until Oct. 31.

$10.90—Savannah Ga.
Account National Baptist Convention (Colored). Tickets will be sold September 4 and 5, limited returning until September 14.

$35.10—Memphis, Tenn.
Account the Concatenated Order of Hoo Hoo. Tickets will be sold Sept. 7 and 8, limited returning until September 15.

$33.05—Cleveland, Ohio.
Account American Foundrymen's Association and American Institute of Metals. Tickets will be sold September 8, 9 and 10, limited returning until September 20.

$13.20—Washington, D. C.
Account Biennial Session G. U. O. O. F. (Colored). Tickets will be sold Sept. 8, 9, 10 and 11, limited returning until September 20.

$18.30—Chattanooga, Tenn.
Account Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. Tickets will be sold September 14, 15, 16 and 17, limited returning until September 27.

$33.05—Cleveland, Ohio.
Account Annual Convention, Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Tickets will be sold October 1, 2 and 3, limited returning until Oct. 12.

$20.95—Jacksonville, Fla.
$21.45—State Camp, Fla.
Account the following important National events: Southern Rifle Association, October 11 and 12; National Rifle Association, October 13 to 19; National Rifle Practice, October 20 and 21; National Individual Rifle Match, October 23; National Pistol Match, October 24; National Team Match, October 24 to 28. Tickets will be sold to Jacksonville and return September 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 29, 30; October 1 and 2; and to State Camp and return, October 7, 8, 9, 14, 15 and 16. All tickets will be limited returning until November 4, 1916. **Reduced fares for parties of ten or more traveling together.**

Proportionate Fares from Other Points on the ATLANTIC COAST LINE, "The Standard Railroad of the South."
'Phone 160.

MOUNTAIN EXCURSION TO ASHEVILLE, N. C., "The Land of the Sky" TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th, 1916. —via— SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Tickets Limited Six Days. Through Pullman Cars and Coaches.
SCHEDULE AND ROUND TRIP FARES AS FOLLOWS:

Lv. Goldsboro	2:00 P. M.	$6.75
Lv. Selma	3:00 P. M.	$6.25
Lv. Raleigh	4:05 P. M.	$5.75
Lv. Henderson	2:15 P. M.	$5.75
Lv. Oxford	2:55 P. M.	$5.75
Lv. Durham	5:03 P. M.	$5.75
Lv. Chapel Hill Sta	4:00 P. M.	$5.75
Lv. Burlington	6:25 P. M.	$5.75
Lv. Greensboro	7:20 P. M.	$5.00

Arrive Asheville Wednesday morning, September 6th.

Round trip fares in same proportion from intermediate points.

Returning, tickets will be good to leave Asheville on all regular trains up to and including all trains leaving Asheville Sunday, September 10th, 1916.

This is the Best Time of the Season to Visit the Mountains.

Asheville, Waynesville, Hendersonville, Lake Toxaway, Lake Junaluska, Brevard and Various Other Points.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Exective Aug. 29, 1916. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90 8:40 A.M. Daily except Sunday.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday.
No. 51 5:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50 12:30 A.M. Daily.
No. 64 8:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48 8:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains having Pullman service.	Daily No. 49 6:05 P.M.
No. 53 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52 5:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62 3:25 P.M. Daily Except Sunday.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63 12:50 P.M. Daily Except Sunday.
No. 55 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Sleeping cars daily between Florence and Columbia, which may be occupied at Columbia until 7:00 A. M.	No. 54 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 57 6:20 P.M. Sunday only.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate points. Excursion train.	No. 58 9:15 A.M. Sunday only.
No. 59 6:30 P.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. and Sunday only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. and Sunday only.
No. 42 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, carrying dining cars; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.
No. 68 7:30 P.M. Sunday only.	Newbern and Intermediate points. Excursion train.	No. 69 10:15 A.M. Sunday only.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

Effective September 5, 1916.

Lv. Wilmington	Leave Beach.
6.25 A. M.	6.05 A. M.
	6.40 "
6.55 "	7.10 "
7.25 "	7.40 "
8.00 "	8.15 "
8.30 "	8.45 "
10.00 "	9.15 "
11.30 "	10.45 "
1.10 P. M.	12.15 P. M.
2.00 "	1.50 "
2.30 "	2.45 "
3.00 "	3.15 "
3.30 "	3.45 "
4.00 "	4.15 "
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5.00 "	5.15 "
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7.15 "	7.20 "
8.15 "	7.50 "
9.15 "	8.50 "
10.15 "	9.50 "
11.15 "	10.50 "
12.10 A. M.	11.50 "

Daily, except Sunday. * Sunday only.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS

Lv. Ninth and Orange Sts. 9:30 A. M., 3:30 P. M.
Lv. Beach, 12:15 P. M., 5:15 P. M.
Freight Office Open from 8:00 A. M. to 9:30 A. M. and from 2:00 P. M. to 3:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS

Lv. Ninth and Orange Sts., 11:00 A. M.
Lv. Beach, 12:45 P. M.
Freight Office Open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South. Effective May 28th, 1916.
DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM WILMINGTON:

No. 13—3:55 P. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR, WILMINGTON TO CHARLOTTE.

THROUGH DAILY PULLMAN SERVICE WILMINGTON TO ATLANTA — ALL STEEL CARS. ON FRIDAYS, THROUGH SLEEPER TO BIRMINGHAM.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE. Open at 10:00 P. M., for Passengers.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:

No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

THROUGH DAILY PULLMAN SERVICE ATLANTA TO WILMINGTON — ALL STEEL CARS. THROUGH SLEEPER FROM BIRMINGHAM SATURDAY.

No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

For detailed information and reservations, call on City Ticket Agent, Orton Building. 'Phone 178.

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Steamship Cherokee, Tues., September 5
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BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C.	$14.05
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.	$14.05
HICKORY, N. C.	$10.85
EDGEMONT, N. C.	$12.85
PINEOLA, N. C.	$13.35
LENOIR, N. C.	$11.85

Tickets on sale daily until October 15th, limited returning Midnight October 31st.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN	$18.30

On sale September 14, 15, 16, 17; limited returning Midnight September 27th.

WASHINGTON, D. C.	$13.20

On sale September 8, 9, 10, 11; limited returning Midnight, September 20th.

CLEVELAND, OHIO	$33.05

On sale October 1, 2, 3; limited returning Midnight, October 12.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.	$20.93

On sale September 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25, 30; October 1, 2; limited returning Midnight November 4th.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN	$18.30

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For further information, call 'Phone 178, City Ticket Office, Orton Hotel Building.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY of New Hanover—Commissioners' Sale.

By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed by C. D. Foard and wife, Florence H. Foard, on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1915, to the Hanover Trust Co., which mortgage is duly recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of New Hanover County, Book 87, page 250.

The undersigned mortgagee will expose for sale to the highest bidder at Public Auction, for cash, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, New Hanover County, State of North Carolina, at 12:00 o'clock M. on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1916, the following described tract, piece, or parcel of land, lying, being and situated in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, and the State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the western line of 5th st. 66 feet south of the Southwestern intersection of Princess St. and 5th streets, running thence westwardly and parallel with Princess St. 120 feet, thence southwardly and parallel with 5th street 66 feet, thence eastwardly and parallel with Princess st. 120 feet to the western line of 5th st., thence northwardly and along the western line of 5th st. 66 feet to the point of beginning, and same being part of lot two, in block 168, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina.

This, the 7th day of August, 1916.
HANOVER TRUST CO.
Herbert McClammy, Attorney.

Read Star Business Locals.

GOLDSBORO WELCOMES JUNIORS ELABORATELY

Twenty-Sixth Annual Session Was Opened Last Night.

Between Six Hundred and Seven Hundred Delegates Are in Attendance. City Decorated for the Occasion.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 5.—The twenty-sixth annual session of the State Council, Junior Order of North Carolina, convened in this city today, with between six and seven hundred delegates in attendance, and the entire city is in gala decoration in honor of these distinguished guests, who are receiving a cordial welcome on all sides, the only thing to mar their pleasure being the inclement weather, consisting of frequent showers during the entire morning.

The opening session was held in the court house tonight and was in the nature of a public reception and welcoming on the part of the city and the local lodge of the order. The following programme was observed:

Presiding officer, Past State Councilor, U. M. Gillikin, Goldsboro Council, No. 39. Music by Goldsboro orchestra. Opening ode.

Invocation—Rev. B. C. Thompson, Goldsboro Council, No. 39.

Address of Welcome on behalf of city—W. H. Allen, Goldsboro Council, No. 39. Music.

Response—Dr. Charles E. Brewer, Wake Forest Council, No. 35. Music.

Address of welcome on behalf of local council—Col. A. C. Davis, Goldsboro Council, No. 39. Music.

Response—Numa R. Reid, Wentworth Council, No. 438. Music.

Address—Immigration, Hon. John F. Burnett, of Alabama. Cornet solo, W. E. Gehres.

Address—Principles of the Order, Hon. George E. Hood, Goldsboro Council, No. 39. Music.

Impromptu speeches, 5 minutes.

Benediction—Rev. B. F. Moore, Warsaw Council. Music. Closing ode.

SCHOOL AT MOUNT OLIVE OPENS WITH 383 PUPILS

Number of Patrons Attended the Opening Exercises Monday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mount Olive, Sept. 5. — The city graded schools here opened Monday morning with an initial attendance of 383 pupils. Quite a number of the local patrons were present at the opening exercises, manifesting their interest in the work of the ensuing school year, and to give assurances of their sympathetic co-operation with the teachers in their work. Rev. R. H. Herring, pastor of the Baptist church, conducted the chapel exercises, and made an interesting talk, in which he emphasized the importance and necessity of co-operation between parents, teachers and pupils. Mr. M. C. S. Chery, on behalf of the board of trustees, also made a brief address, comparing the advantages of the school child of today with those of the school child of twenty years ago, and of the greater responsibility the improved facilities bring.

The following constitute the faculty: G. O. Rogers, Graham, superintendent; Miss Pattie Spruill, of Bayboro, and Miss Lucy Davis, of Mount Olive, first grade; Miss Sallie Barnhill, of Enfield, second grade; Miss Jessie Flowers, Mount Olive, third grade; Miss Berniece Hornaday, Dunn, fourth grade; Miss Bessie Craven, fifth grade; Miss Annie Rose Southerland, Mount Olive, sixth grade; Misses Ethel Council, Red Springs; Lady Doles, Elm City; Mayo McCurrie, Mount Olive, and Supt. Rogers teach the seventh grade and high school courses.

THREE SCHOOLS IN WARSAW TOWNSHIP BEGIN SESSIONS.

These at Warsaw, Lanefield and Pierceville Opened Monday.

(Speilal Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., Sept. 5.—The schools of Warsaw township opened Monday with good enrollment at each. Prof. B. C. Siske, of Troy, N. C., is principal. Miss Ruth Moore, of Burgaw, is high school assistant; Miss Reba L. Meadows, of Williamsburg, Ky., is teacher of languages and domestic science; Misses Edna Hammon, of Mauretown, Va.; Fannie Best and Margaret Kennedy, of Warsaw, and Sadie Lloyd Smith, of Rockingham, have charge of the intermediate and primary work, while Miss Mattie Hines, of Warsaw, has charge of the music department of the Warsaw school.

Miss Herring, of Mount Olive, is principal and Miss Mary White Carroll is assistant at the Lanefield school, and Mrs. Bruce Carlton is teaching the school at Pierceville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Darden again have charge of the dormitory in connection with the Warsaw school, and the out-of-town teachers are boarding with them.

NEGRO HAS FOOT INJURED

Was Loading Logs Near Kenansville, Other Warsaw News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, Sept. 5.—Doc Williams, a negro, in the employ of the Rowland Lumber Company, had his foot badly crushed while loading logs on the train near Kenansville, Monday. He was put aboard the train and brought to Dr. J. M. Williams, of this place for medical attention, who found that amputation would not be necessary, though at first it was feared that it would.

Tobacco continues to bring good prices on the local market, heavy sales occurring up to Friday of last week, on which day the warehousemen advised the farmers not to sell, as the price would be considerably lowered owing to the uncertainty of shipping pending the settlement of the threatened strike, consequently the warehouses were closed until Monday, when good sales were again made at both houses, with satisfactory prices. On Thursday of last week occurred the heaviest sales, when over 120,000 pounds were sold.

Bluebird Photoplay

"The Grip of Jealousy," with Louise Lovely. Grand today.

(Advertisement.)

M. C. WHITE SENT TO JAIL BEING UNABLE TO GIVE BOND.

Man Arrested in Wilmington Given Preliminary Hearing at Maxton.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 5.—United States Deputy Marshal J. W. Tomlinson returned here this morning from Laurinburg, where he went yesterday to carry M. C. White, alias L. M. White, who was placed in the Scotland county jail for safe keeping, following a preliminary hearing at Maxton on the charge of white slavery on which he was arrested in Wilmington on the night of August 18th. White was taken by Deputy Tomlinson from Laurinburg to Maxton where the preliminary hearing was held yesterday before United States Commissioner E. L. Wooten. White was held for trial at the next term of the United States District court at Laurinburg in the sum of $1,000. He was unable to give the bond and was sent back to jail at Laurinburg.

Mr. Tomlinson says that the Federal authorities have a strong case against the prisoner, who is charged with enticing a 14-year-old girl from her home at Laurinburg and taking her into South Carolina, thereby violating the Mann white slave law. His arrest while working in Wilmington was caused by the girl's father, J. D. Pittman, of Laurinburg.

White is a machinist and travels from place to place overhauling cotton mill machinery. He was so engaged when arrested in Wilmington. Though a working man, he is said to be a remarkably smooth talker. He is a native of a northern state.

CUMBERLAND WILL HAVE GOVERNMENT COTTON GRADER

Commissioners Appropriated $300 Monday for Defraying Expenses.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, Sept. 5.—The county commissioners of Cumberland took another progressive step when at their September meeting yesterday afternoon they authorized the appointment of a government cotton grader for this county and appropriated $300 to pay current expenses of the office to be maintained in Fayetteville. The salary of the expert to be stationed here will be paid by the federal government, though the other expenses, such as office rent and equipment, will be borne by the county. The grader to be stationed here will be selected by the United States Agricultural Department.

It is estimated that this action of the county commissioners will save the farmers of Cumberland county 1-7 cent a pound on their cotton, owing to the higher grading done by the government experts as compared to the cotton buyers. This saving, on the average, will amount to sixty-two and a half cents a bale. The appointment is made under act ratified by the Legislature on the 9th of March, 1915, by which the grading done by such grader is made the legal basis of all cotton transactions in North Carolina. The grades established by the United States government will of course be used.

E. S. THOMAS GIVEN HEARING AND BOND PLACED AT $5,000

Georgia Man to Be Tried at Raleigh for Attempted Criminal Assault.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 5.—The preliminary hearing of E. S. Thomas, of Georgia, today resulted in raising his bond to $5,000, an amount that he has not yet been able to put up. Thomas is the man who attempted criminal assault on Miss Eula Nunn in a Pullman car of a Southern Railway train in the union station shed here.

Pullman Conductor J. F. Stephenson and other witnesses testified that they pulled Thomas from the berth of the young lady while he was holding her with one hand pressed over mouth to stifle her screams. The defense is to be that Thomas was so intoxicated that he did not realize what he was doing.

Two kinsmen of Miss Nunn came up from New Bern to press the prosecution and it is said that she will come from her home in Tennessee to the trial next week. It develops that Miss Nunn, who was on her way home from a visit to relatives in New Bern when the assault was made on her, was born in Raleigh, her father having been at the time in charge of the Weather Bureau here.

WAKE FOREST COLLEGE HAS MOST AUSPICIOUS OPENING.

One of Largest Enrollments in School's History Expected.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wake Forest, N. C., Sept. 5.—The 83rd session of Wake Forest College opened today most auspiciously with prospects for one of the largest enrollments in the history of the institution. Owing to the fact that all men this year have to pass through the office of the examiner, whose duty is the settlement of entrance credit and designation of class work, numbers of students were unable to register today. The total enrollment was 215, although this number does not represent the total students in college as there are a large number of students who have yet to register.

The students began pouring in on the early morning trains and each succeeding train continued to augment the number. More will come in tonight and the bursar's office will remain open tomorrow morning to allow the late arrivals and those who were unable to matriculate today on account of the congested conditions to register. Formal class work of the 1916-17 session will begin tomorrow when the professors will meet their classes for the first time.

JNO. L. CURRIE DEAD.

Carthage, N. C., Loses One of First Citizens—Funeral Yesterday.

Carthage, N. C., Sept. 5.—John L. Currie died here yesterday after a week's illness in his 55th year. For 30 years he had been one of the prominent men of the county. In 1888 he was elected sheriff and served eight years. He was elected to the Legislature in 1898 and was one of the leaders in that body for white supremacy legislation. He was always a safe, prudent business man, directing his energies almost solely to the manufacture of lumber, though he was the owner of the Bismarck Hosiery Mills of this place, also he had accumulated large property interests and was easily one of the wealthiest men in the county. He was a loyal Presbyterian and had been elder in that church for many years. For several years he had been superintendent of the Sunday school of his church. In 1893 he was married to Miss Mary Bell McIver, of Sanford, and of this union five children and their mother survive.

The funeral was conducted from the Presbyterian church today at 4:30 P. M. and the interment was in Cross Hill cemetery.

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"TIGERS" MUST GO.

New Bern to be "Cleaned Out" Within the Course of a Month.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New Bern, N. C., Sept. 5.—One of New Bern's most prominent officials in authority for the statement that this city will be as void of "blind tigers" and "bootleggers" within the course of the next month as it is possible to make it and declares that those men and women who are disposing of "the ardent" have some surprises coming to them within the next week or two.

The authorities have just put one over on the "tigers" by employing a detective who rounded up a dozen of them and they state that another little surprise is due to be sprung within a few days.

The law abiding citizens of the town are backing the officers up in their work and giving them all possible support.

DEATH AT KELLY, N. C.

Mrs. W. G. Porter Dies After a Long Illness—The Family Surviving.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kelly, N. C., Sept. 5.—Mrs. W. G. Porter passed away the third of September at 3 o'clock in the morning, after a long illness of about 12 months. Mrs. Porter, before her marriage, was Miss Florence Pridgen, the only child of Loftin Pridgen. In 1881 she married Mr. L. L. Tiffitt, of Kelly. Mr. Tiffitt having passed away in 1885, leaving two children, R. L. Tiffitt, of Kelly, and Mrs. Mary Cashwell, of Abbottsburg, N. C. In 1895 she married Mr. W. G. Porter, of Kelly, N. C., there being two children by this union, Miss Gladys Porter, of Kelly, 16 years old, and R. Porter, aged 14. The funeral services were conducted at the residence by Rev. C. S. Carr, of Wilmington, and the remains were laid to rest in the old family burying ground on Mr. Porter's place. Mrs. Porter numbered her friends by the huhdreds and she willbe greatly missed among her friends and in her church.

HUNTING NEGRO MAID

Charged With Taking Small Articles From a Kinston Home.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 5.—A negro maid at the home of H. Stadem and wife, a prominent Gordon street couple, is being sought by the police after systematically pilfering the house for six days. The girl, about 16 years of age, took a number of small articles, including a valuable scarf pin, an expensive suitcase, etc., but robbed a charity box as her crowning, though not most profitable accomplishment. "Charity for Jerusalem," was inscribed on the box. About $3.50 in dimes, quarters and half dollars had been dropped into the box, which was later to be sent to a charitable agency. The box was left hanging on a wall, but there was a slit in the bottom as well as in the top, and some old world indigent would have to go without meals for a few days did not Mr. and Mrs. Stadiem intend replacing the money.

REPORT ON CIVIL SERVICE

President Complies With Penrose Resolution in the Senate.

Washington, Sept. 5.—In response to a resolution by Senator Penrose the President sent to the Senate today a report of the Civil Service Commission showing that during the Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson administrations there were 761 executive orders giving government positions to individuals and that during the same period more than 400,000 appointments were made from the classified civil service lists in competitive examination. A confidential communication accompanying the report was held for examination in executive session.